

Terrance Thomas Roberts

September 4, 1948 - July 27, 2017

Born in Waterloo, Iowa

Resided in Tripoli, IA

Obituary

Terrance "Terry" Thomas Roberts, 68, of Tripoli, Iowa, passed away from natural causes on Thursday, July 27, 2017.

Terry was born on September 4, 1948, in Waterloo, Iowa, the son of Cyrilla (Reicherts) and Raymond Roberts. He was baptized at St. John Catholic Church in Waterloo on September 19, 1948. Terry attended St. Mary's Catholic Elementary and Columbus High School, graduating in 1967. In 1968, Terry was married to Gloria Hunemiller in Waterloo, Iowa. The couple later divorced. On December 16, 1973, Terry was united in marriage to Mildred "Milly" Wehling in Waterloo, Iowa. The couple made their home in Raymond, Iowa before moving to rural Tripoli in 1998. From 1968 until his honorable discharge in 1970, Terry served in the United States Army – National Honor Guard. He proudly served at the funeral services for President Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1969.

Terry was a talented steel fabricator for many years in the Cedar Valley and most recently at Bruns Machinery in Cedar Falls, Iowa. He retired in 2014. He was also a former co-owner of the Frederika Locker. For enjoyment, Terry liked to golf, and served on the Board of Directors for Maple Hills Golf Course in Tripoli. He was also an avid hunter and loved to fish.

Terry is survived by his wife, Milly; two sons, Anthony (Christina Martinez) Roberts of Thornton, Colorado, and Jeff (Shelley) Roberts of Elk Run Heights, Iowa; one daughter, Jennifer (Steve) Schneider of Shell Rock, Iowa; ten grandchildren; four siblings, Jerry (Carol) Roberts of Fayetteville, North Carolina, Carol (Tim) Oeltjenbruns of Clayton, North Carolina, James Roberts of Madison, Wisconsin, and Kelly Roberts of Yuma, Arizona. He was preceded in death by his parents; and one brother, Wayne Roberts.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, August 3, 2017, at Grace Lutheran Church in Tripoli, with Pastor Scott Duffus officiating. Military rites will be provided by Tripoli VFW Post #4019. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, August 2, 2017, from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Kaiser-Corson Funeral Home in Waverly and for one hour prior to the funeral service at the church on Thursday. Memorials may be directed to the family for later designation, and online condolences may be

left at www.kaisercorson.com. Kaiser-Corson Funeral Home in Waverly is assisting the family. 319-352-1187.

Guestbook



Marie

Created : Aug 02, 2017

My sincere condolences to the Roberts family. As death is not a friend we may feel like the writer of Psalms 25:16-17 "Turn your face to me and show me favor, For I am alone and helpless. The distresses of my heart have multiplied; Free me from my anguish." God sees what we are going through and promises us that everything causing us anguish in our lives will be gone - including death. The scripture at 1 Corinthians 15:26 tells us that God views death as an enemy and not a friend because of the pain it causes us. That is why he promises us that he will remove death and return our loved ones back to us by means of the resurrection (Revelation 21:4). Jesus gave us an example of what it would be like when he resurrected his friend Lazarus in front of his family and friends at John 11:14, 38-39, 43-44. May the fond memories of Terrance bring you much comfort as you begin to heal; and, may God's promise of a resurrection bring you hope that you will soon see him again.



Lynne Guldager

Created : Aug 02, 2017

Kelly, I am so deeply sorry for the loss of your brother Terry. I know how much your family means to you and I know how much of a loss this is for you and your family. I hope you can find strength in the next few days to say good-bye to your brother but I also hope that you are able to enjoy this time with your family as well. You definitely will be leaning on each other. Big hugs to you and Em and the rest of the family! Love ya girlfriend!



Vaughn family

Created : Jul 31, 2017

May God's promises found at Acts 24:15 and Psalms 37:29 bring comfort to you and your family during this difficult time.



Patricia Murray

Created : Jul 31, 2017

Milly, I was so sorry to read this from Rick. How shocking and disturbing. I will be praying for peace for you and your family. Please know you are in my thoughts!



Jean draude

Created : Jul 30, 2017

Went to grade school and high school with Terry. My condolences to his family. May all the memories he made comfort you through this difficult time. RIP Terry.



Pat Fastiggi
Created : Jul 30, 2017

So very sorry, Milly. I'll miss Terry jumping to different holes on the golf course. Or riding off in the golf cart to play so odd hours of the day. Hope to see you this winter at LTE. It's a wonderful place to heal. Pat Fastiggi



Everette and Jean Van Fleet (Geneseo, Illinois)
Created : Jul 30, 2017

Hi Milly, So sorry to hear of your tragic loss. May you find comfort in the years of memories that you share with Terry. God must have had a plan for such a wonderful man. May He be with you and your family in your time of sorrow.



Monica and Rod Zabel
Created : Jul 30, 2017

Milly, we are so sorry for your loss. May God bless you and your family.



Carole Mueller Ruehling
Created : Jul 30, 2017

Milly, sorry for your loss. My husband died 3 years ago. Life goes on, you just have to make the best of it and cherish the good times.



Bonnie Adamson
Created : Jul 30, 2017

We were so sorry to hear this. Our sincere sympathy Millie. Ken and Bonnie Adamson



Roger and Jane Mueller
Created : Jul 29, 2017

So very sorry for your loss. May the lord be with you.



Mariett Rawson
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Mildly, What a shock to learn of your husband's sudden death. My thoughts and prayers will with you and yours over the course of the next days and weeks. Lean hard on all who love you.



Ken and Ginny Leimbach
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Was so sorry to hear of the sudden death of your husband Terry. This must be so difficult for all of you to loose someone so quickly. You are in our thoughts and

prayers. May the Lord be with you and give you what you need during this most difficult time.



Cindy Simester
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Milly you have my condolences. I didn't have the honor of meeting him but can see by the other remarks that he was special to many people.



Sally And Ron Donald
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Milly, we are so sorry to hear of the passing of Terry. Terry was so kind to me when he played bridge with us. He always told me it's just a game. He will be missed at LTE. Thinking of all the family. Prayers and hugs to all.



Becky See
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Milly, there are never words to express how deeply saddened Tracy and I were to hear of Terry's passing. I remember going through a snow storm to witness you marrying the love of your life. I am praying for peace, strength, and comfort in the days to come. Hope to talk soon. Love always dearest friend.



Pat and Jean Clubb
Created : Jul 29, 2017

So sorry to hear about Terry. Are thoughts and Prayers to you and family.



Elizabeth Gott
Created : Jul 29, 2017

I was very sorry to hear about Terry! We went to grade school& high school together! My deepest Condolences!



Bev Sievers
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Oh Milly. I am so sorry. I send my condolences to your family...



Judy (Wells) Tuder
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Milly, so sorry to hear of your loss. I have been there and it's not easy, but with your friends and family you will make it through this. Have faith. Thinking of you.



Sandy Campbell
Created : Jul 29, 2017

So sorry to hear of your loss Milly. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.



Jeanette and John Tims
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Thinking of you Milly and all your family and keeping all of You in our thoughts and prayers.



Roxane Thielen (Sam)
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Oh no Milly! I'm so saddened to hear this!



Donna Stahlhut
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Milly, I was saddened to hear of your loss. My prayers are with you and your family during this time of sorrow.



Dawn Bergmann
Created : Jul 29, 2017

Milly~I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.



Brenda Dan Kirchmann
Created : Jul 28, 2017

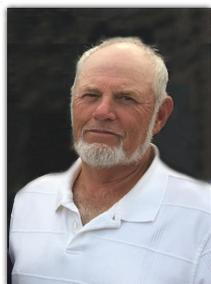
Sorry to hear about Terry sending a prayer to you and your family



Kim Bunce
Created : Jul 28, 2017

Millie - My deepest sympathies to you and your family.

Photos



Services

Visitation

Kaiser-Corson Funeral Homes, Inc.-Waverly

218 2nd Street SE
Waverly, IA US 50677-0215



[Map / Directions](#)



Wednesday, August 2, 2017
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Service

Grace Lutheran Church

208 1st St. S.W.
Tripoli, IA US 50676



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Thursday, August 3, 2017
10:30 AM