

Obituary

Kenneth D. Pollock, 81, of Denver, Iowa passed away on Saturday, December 29, 2018 at the Cedar Valley Hospice Home in Waterloo, Iowa.

Kenneth Dale Pollock was born on April 6, 1937, the son of John Martin and Martha (Shelton) Gibbs in New Hartford, Iowa. He was adopted on August 30, 1949, by Cecil and Marie (Babbitt) Pollock. Kenny graduated from Denver High School in 1956. He was called from the Army Reserves to active duty on June 25, 1956 until his discharge on February 19, 1958. On September 14, 1958, he was united in marriage to Brenda Griese in Denver, Iowa. Kenny was employed at John Deere, retiring after 34 years. He also farmed for over 40 years in the Denver area.

Kenny was a member of St. John Lutheran Church - Maxfield, Denver American Legion, Post 653 and the PTO Club. He enjoyed fishing, tractor pulling, Iowa Hawkeye sports and social hour with friends, but most especially spending time with his grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Survivors are his wife, Brenda Pollock of Denver, Iowa; two sons, Todd (Sheila) Pollock of Mt Vernon, Iowa, Trent (Tina) Pollock of Denver, Iowa, three daughters, Tammy (Randy) Bakken of Cedar Falls, Iowa, Tonja (Michael) Johnson of Parker, Colorado and Tia Manchester of Evansdale, Iowa; ten grandchildren, Kegan (Sarah) Bakken, Jarek (Jill) Bakken, Kyran Johnson, Riley Pollock, McKenna Pollock, Ireland Pollock, Sayre Pollock, Si'le Pollock, Indya Beaman, and Zadyn Manchester; three great-grandchildren, Jovie, Asher and Everly Bakken; two brothers, Richard and James Gibbs and by a sister-in-law, Karen Shelton. He was preceded in death by his parents; his adopted parents; ten brothers, Frank, Harold, Marvin, Robert, Melvin, Donald and Eugene Shelton, Roy, John and Jack Gibbs and five sisters, Lorain and Alice Shelton, Mabel Brown, Vera Bast and Barbara Hay.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, January 3, 2019 at 10:30 am at St. John Lutheran Church - Maxfield, rural Denver with Pastor Corey Smith officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery with Military Rites conducted by the Denver American Legion, Post 653. Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 4:00 pm until 7:00 pm at the Kaiser-Corson Funeral Home in Denver, Iowa and also an hour prior the service on Thursday at the church. There will also be a Gathering at the Denver American Legion with family and friends on Thursday, January 3rd from 2:30 pm until 6:00 pm. Memorials may be directed to either St. John Lutheran Church - Maxfield, Cedar Valley Hospice or Denver Sunset Home and online

condolences for Kenneth Pollock may be left at www.kaisercorson.com.

Kaiser-Corson Funeral Home of Denver, Iowa is assisting the Pollock family with arrangements. 319-984-5379

Guestbook



Greg Van Sloten

Created: Jan 17, 2019

We were sorry to hear of the loss of your father, Kenneth. Our prayers and sympathy are with you and your family.



Don and Evelyn Methfessel

Created : Jan 03, 2019

Brenda and family, We were so sorry to read of Kenny's death. Don has many memories of the times they spent together when they were much younger. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time.



Lori Bruns

Created: Jan 03, 2019

My heart is breaking for your loss Brenda. Kenny was so wonderful and just had the best smile. He always had a hug and great advise for me and I am sure every other kid that your own kids brought home. He is one of my favorite people and I just loved driving by and honking to see him wave at me as I passed. I love you and am sending hugs...



Carrie Miller

Created: Jan 03, 2019

Todd and family. I'm so sorry for your loss. Carrie Miller (Cox)



Sam and Peggy Smith

Created: Jan 02, 2019

Brenda and family. Our deepest sympathy to each of you. Kenny had a great smile and sense of humor. He loved hugs. He will be missed so much. May God give you comfort and peace.



Lois Dennler

Created: Jan 02, 2019

I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your husband and father. You will be in my thoughts and prayers!



Bob and Alice Kuennen

Created : Jan 02, 2019

We are so sorry to hear of Kenny's death. Our sympathy to his family.



Joyce Lahmann

Created: Jan 02, 2019

Brenda and family: My sincere condolences to all of you. Sorry to hear of Kenny's passing. Prayers for all of you.



Bill and Phyllis Zwanziger Created: Jan 02, 2019

Brenda and family - so sorry to hear of Kenny's death. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.



Wayne and Judy Husted Created: Jan 01, 2019

I am so saddened by the passing of Kenny and I know how much his family and friends will miss him! He visited Altorfer Caterpillar whenever we had a social gathering and left everyone with a smile on their faces and a brighter day ahead. I am grateful to have made Kenny's acquaintance; he was one of those special people you never forget and smile each time with the memory of something funny or pleasant he said. I will pray for peace in the hearts of all of his family and friends and looking forward to the day we will see him again.



Janel, Mason and Madison Created: Jan 01, 2019

I am so very sorry for your loss! i always loved his smile and hugs!



Bob and Joyce Kammeyer Created: Jan 01, 2019

Our sincere sympathy to you Brenda and your family. Kenny always had a smile.



Larry & Pat Meier

Created: Jan 01, 2019

We were saddened to hear of Kenny's passing. I will always remember his great smile and sense of humor whenever we came in contact.



Charlene and Don Bahe Created: Jan 01, 2019

Please know how sorry we are to hear about Kenny. He was a good guy. I will miss his hugs he always gave me at the Denver Fish Fry. He always had a big grin. We are in TX for the winter so know we will miss the visitation but our thoughts and prayers go to your family.

Carol (Jean) Lau

Created : Dec 31, 2018

Brenda and family, I have many fond memories of Maxfield Church and all of you. I know you were a good friend to my sister Lois and your mom Marie was in Ladies Aid with Mom. Marie was always so pretty and "fancy". I remember your girls as beautiful baton twirlers. I think Ken may have been my Sunday School teacher at one time. All in all, your family has many good memories with each other and your community. Sending my condolences from California.



Laura Bradley

Created: Dec 31, 2018

Brenda, I am so sorry for your loss. Kenny was a great man and he will be missed! My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family! XOXO



Tim and Renee

Created: Dec 31, 2018

Trent, so sorry for your loss. Prayers for peace and love at this difficult time



Larry Platte

Created: Dec 31, 2018

Brenda & Family Nancy and I were sorry to hear about Kenny's passing. One of my favorite memories of Kenny is when he gave me a ride in that 1956 orange and white 2 door Ford Victoria hardtop. He was smiling ear-to-ear with that impish devilish smile, and I was the happiest kid on the block with the wind blowing in my face. Happy memories are the best. Our love and prayers to all in your family. Larry and Nancy



Linda Shelton

Created : Dec 31, 2018

Brenda and Family, So very sorry about Kenny's passing. Sending you much love and keeping in our thoughts this holiday season and beyond. His picture perfectly captures what I remember most, his smile. Linda and Sarah Shelton



Faith Hougen

Created : Dec 31, 2018

Tammy & Randy and Toni & Mike - I'm so sorry for your loss. I'll keep all of you in my prayers. May you feel God's comforting embrace as you grieve the loss of your dad/father-in-law.



Wanda & Jess Burkholder

Created: Dec 31, 2018

Brenda, Kenny's death leaves a big hole in all of our hearts. I will miss his hugs & teasing. Our love & sympathy to you and your family.



Roger White

Created : Dec 31, 2018

Kenny was a great guy and he will be missed by many, including our biking group from Cedar Valley Cyclists. My condolences to the survivors, friends and the folks at the Denver American Legion.



Sandy Buhrow

Created: Dec 31, 2018

Brenda and family, Kenny was quite a guy-lots of good memories when I sang to him with my Dolly garb on! What a great family man. You are all in my prayers. Love, Sandy (Dolly)

Photos



Services

Visitation

Kaiser-Corson Funeral Homes, Inc. - Denver

110 S. State Street Denver, IA US 50622-0525



Map / Directions



Wednesday, January 2, 2019 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Service

St. John Lutheran Cemetery - Maxfield

1 Mile North, 2 Miles East of Denver, IA US



Map / Directions



Thursday, January 3, 2019