

# Eugene "Kenny" Bauer

October 13, 1944 - September 18, 2016

Funeral services for Kenneth Eugene "Kenny" Bauer, 71, will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, Sept. 26, at the United Church of Christ with Pastor Joe Bair officiating. Inurnment will be held in the Wheatland Cemetery with military honors.

Kenny passed away Sunday, Sept. 18, at his home in Wheatland of natural causes.

He was born Oct. 13, 1944 in Buffalo, Wyoming the son of George and Frieda (Wilhelm) Bauer.

Kenny was reared and educated in Wheatland and graduated from Wheatland High School in 1963. After graduation he went into the United States Navy serving for three and half years. While in the service Kenny fought during the Vietnam Era. Following his discharge from Navy he returned home to start farming with his dad and brother Richard at Bauer Farms. In the off-season he would drive truck. He met Sally in 1980 and their first date was on Christmas Eve. They were married Jan. 14, 1983 in Wheatland. Some of his hobbies included watching TV especially war documentations, driving around and checking up on the local farmers, and most of all he loved spending time and spoiling his daugh-



ter and granddaughters. Kenny would do anything for his family. They will miss his ornery sense of humor.

Kenny is survived by his wife, Sally Bauer of Wheatland; daughter, Andrea (Dana) Willadsen of Boise, Idaho; brother, George (Sue) Bauer of Wheatland; sister, Sally A. Bauer of Cheyenne, Wyoming; sister-in-law, Sue Bauer of Wheatland;

granddaughters, Ashley and Lindsey Willadsen of Boise; and nieces and nephews, Jackie (Zach) Wilson, Kellie (Tracy) Preuit, Ricky (Becky) Kumpf, Jeremy Kumpf, and RJ Bauer.

He is preceded in death by father, George Bauer on December 20, 1993; mother, Frieda Bauer on November 13, 1990; and brother, Richard Bauer on February 6, 2010.

A memorial to the Freedom Honor Flight, P.O. Box 505, La Crosse, Wisconsin 54602-0505 or to the United Church of Christ, P.O. Box 444, Wheatland, Wyoming 82201 would be appreciated by the family.

The Gorman Funeral Homes - Platte Chapel of Wheatland are in charge of the arrangements.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.gormanfh.com](http://www.gormanfh.com)