



David Fodness

November 14, 1947 - September 9, 2021

David Fodness, 73, of Sioux Falls, SD, died September 9, 2021 at the Edinburg Doctors Hospital Renaissance, Edinburg, TX.

David Allen Fodness was born at Sioux, Falls, SD, on November 14, 1947, the son of Sylvan and Doris (Sinning) Fodness. He grew up on a farm near Lennox attending school and then graduated from Canton High School in 1966. He went on to earn an Agricultural Business degree from South Dakota State University, Brookings, SD. David then began a career in the trucking business, initially at American Freight in Sioux Falls. He then was promoted and transferred to the Chicago Office. In 1981, with wife Carolyn, they started their own freight company, DC Delivery and Freight in Lexington, KY. They sold the business in 1985.

David was united in marriage to Carolyn Ness on June 17, 1972. They made their home in Sioux Falls, Chicago, Lexington. KY, and then returned to Sioux Falls in 1985. They wintered in Texas.

David was raised in the Lutheran faith at West Prairie Lutheran Church, Lennox. He was a man of few hobbies who thoroughly enjoyed his work in the trucking industry. If he couldn't find a driver for a load, he would haul it himself. He also enjoyed farming and assisted his father for many years in the family farming operation. David was a man who deeply loved his family. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Grateful for having shared his life are his wife of nearly 50 years, Carolyn Fodness; one daughter, Kathryn Fodness, Shoreview, MN; siblings: Karen

Bergeson, Dawson, MN, Rebecca Henault, Jeffersonville, IN and Robert (Ann) Fodness, Alamo, TX as well as other relatives and friends.

Memorial services will begin at 5:00 p.m. Friday, October 15 at West Prairie Lutheran Church, rural Lennox. Masks are encouraged.

Tribute Wall

PS

“ *My sympathy in the passing of Dave. May you find comfort in your memories!*

Patty Fossum Sinning - October 12, 2021 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *Sorry to hear about David's passing. Super nice guy and will be missed!*



Kim McCarthy - October 12, 2021 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ *From Monica Jones , was married to Kay, my sympathy to all . Karen may be the only one to remember us !! Since Doris and Sylvian have passed , seems like all connections, have been lost . I know that is the way life is now days ! I am in our house with my son Tim, in Canton. New address. With this C-19 , Iâ€™m not sure if I will make it to funeral . Iâ€™m in hopes that David was not in pain or in hospital,for a long time . With Love , Sympathy and Prayers for all 🙏🙏 Monica .*

Monica Jones - October 10, 2021 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ Greetiings to Carolyn & all the Fodmess family. My heart is aching with all of you for your loss. David was such a part of my life growing up all through high school. He was always so kind to everyone with a great smile.

Karen, I am wondering if you are planning on being there on the 15th? I would love to see you again.

Betty

Betty Kuhns Jevne - October 07, 2021 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ *My sympathy to you all in the passing of David. Hold onto your memories.*

Patty Fossum Sinning - September 30, 2021 at 12:00 AM