



Wendell "Wendy" Faber

May 16, 1946 - August 17, 2016

Wendell "Wendy" Faber, 70, Worthing, SD, died Wednesday, August 17, 2016, at the Sanford Centennial Hospice Cottage, Sioux Falls. Wendell Henry Faber was born on May 16, 1946, near Sanborn, IA, the son of Harry and Helen (Vantol) Faber. After the eighth grade he moved with his family to the Rock Rapids, IA area where he graduated from Hull Western Christian High School in 1964. Wendell was drafted into the US Army in 1966 and served in Vietnam until his honorable discharge in 1967. He then attended Nettleton Business College and graduated from the National College of Business. On June 5, 1970 he was united in marriage to Lynda Schuett at the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Hull, IA. The couple lived in Sioux Falls and then made Worthing their home for the past 41 years. Wendell was employed as a clerk for the US Postal Service for the past 23 years, never retiring, because he truly loved his work. Wendell was a member of the First English Lutheran Church. His strong faith in the Lord and the promise of eternal life was a true testament to his family. He had been a member of the Worthing American Legion and served on the Worthing Volunteer Fire Department for many years. In younger years, he enjoyed league bowling, but fast pitch softball was his passion. He was a Minnesota Twin's fan and enjoyed cards and fishing. Wendell was a devoted husband and father, but his grandchildren were most important to him. He was preceded in death by his parents. Grateful for having shared his life are his wife of 46 years, Lynda; children: Scott (Heather) Faber, Palmer, AK and Melissa (Josh) McGraw, Rockford, MI; three grandchildren:

Hayley, Malia and Silas; siblings: Larry (Betty) Faber, Marv (Dee) Faber, Gordy (Sue) Faber and Alvina (Howard) Krikke as well as other relatives and a host of friends. Services will begin at 10:00 a.m. Monday, August 22 at First English Lutheran Church, Lennox with burial in the Worthing Cemetery. Visitation, also at First English Lutheran Church, Lennox, will be from 3 to 5 p.m. Sunday with the family present.

Tribute Wall

CJ

“ I am sorry to hear of Wendell's passing. He was always such a kind and helpful person at the Beresford post office. May he rest in peace.

Cheryl Johnson - August 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ We are so very sorry to hear this difficult news! Blessings, comfort and love be with you all as you mourn the loss of a wonderful man! Heaven has gained a Saint!!! A HUGE HUG TO LYNDA!!

Rob & Deb Kirk - August 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ So sorry to hear about Wendells passing our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Dean & Joan Dieren - August 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ My heartfelt sympathy to you Linda and your family in the loss of Wendell. We became friends at the Beresford Post Office - and I looked forward to his friendly smile and kind words. God bless his soul. My prayers to all today and in the days to come.

Julie Keiser Oines - August 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

NG

“ I am so sorry for your loss. He will be greatly missed. Please accept my deepest sympathy.

Norb Griebel - August 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ I will miss your beautiful voice, Wendall. I loved sitting in front of you in choir listening to you sing. Now you will be an angel singing in Heaven.

Jean Reiners - August 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ I enjoyed getting to know Wendell at the Beresford and Centerville post offices. He was such a kind man and fun to visit with. I could tell how proud he was of his family and how much he loved all of you. He will be missed by many.

Lori Hecht - August 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ May the family and friends of Wendell Faber be comforted by God's promise to "Swallow up death forever, and wipe away every tear from all faces" (Isaiah 25:8) Remembering too the promise of the resurrection hope for both the righteous and unrighteous.

Bonnie P - August 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM