



Gordon L. Grosz

December 16, 1929 - February 8, 2010

Gordon L. Grosz, 80, of 441 East Johnson Street, Fond du Lac, went to his Heavenly Home on Monday, February 8, 2010, at Froedtert Memorial Lutheran Hospital. He was born on December 16, 1929, in Sheboygan, a son of Gottlieb and Susanna Weisz Grosz. Gordon proudly served with the United States Army from 1948-1952 during the Korean Conflict. On July 14, 1956, he married Anita Ann Zahn at St. John's Lutheran Church in Mattoon, Wisconsin. Gordon worked as an auto mechanic at Service Motors, Biddle Pontiac, Dittrich Buick, and Meiklejohn Volkswagen. He was later employed as a maintenance mechanic by Giddings & Lewis, Speed Queen, and Mercury Marine, in addition to teaching auto mechanics at Moraine Park Technical College. Gordon was a member of Hope Lutheran Church, Fond du Lac, and served as a head usher for many faithful years. He enjoyed golfing, bowling, and camping. He is survived by his wife, Anita; two daughters: Roberta (Terry) Scherck of Fond du Lac and Janet (Tony) Hettenhaus of North Fond du Lac; two grandsons: Dan Hettenhaus and Devin Scherck; and two sisters: Milda Russell and Hilly (Lyle) Griffith, both of Washington; two sisters-in-law: Charlotte Gross of Plymouth and Ann Gross of Fond du Lac. He is further survived by his wife's two brothers: Ross (Virginia) Zahn of Mattoon and Dale Zahn of Fond du Lac; a sister, Linda Zahn of Fond du Lac; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, a granddaughter, Max Scherck, and 11 siblings: Phillipina Grosz, Adelia "Della" (John) Mattern, Eugene (Cora) Grosz; Alfred Gross, Gerda (Lewellyn) Paulson, Leontine

“Peggy” (Alex) Chrispens, Richard Gross, Ella (Joseph) Overbay, Edwin (Erna) Grosz, Irma (John) Mueller, and Meta (Clarence) Margenau; and two brothers-in-law: Henry Harms and Paul Russell. He is further preceded in death by his wife’s sister, Karen (Buddy) Erickson. The funeral service will be held at noon on Saturday, February 13, 2010, at Hope Lutheran Church, 260 Vincent Street, Fond du Lac, with Rev. Arthur Callies officiating. Military rites will be conducted by the American Legion Trier-Puddy Post 75, Fond du Lac. Burial will be in Ledgeview Memorial Park. The visitation will be at church from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Memorials may be directed to Hope Lutheran Church. Gordy was a loving husband, father, and grandfather. He enjoyed spending time with his family and especially enjoyed being “one of the boys” with his two grandsons. He was always willing to lend a helping hand and would drop everything to help anyone in need. He will be deeply missed.

Tribute Wall

"B

“ *Expressing our sympathy to your family.*

"TJ" Tom Johnson and Cathy Bell - February 15, 2010 at 08:43 AM

GR

“ *Our sympathy to the entire family.*

Gerald and Judith Roberts - February 11, 2010 at 04:19 PM

LS

“ *My deepest sympathies to all the family. Gordy was a sweet man and he will be missed by many.*

Laura Siegesmund - February 10, 2010 at 07:30 PM

DE

“ *My prayers for grace, peace, and love to all of you.*

Dawn Erickson - February 10, 2010 at 05:39 PM

SH

“ *Janet and family: I am so sorry about your dad. Know that you all are in my thoughts and prayers. Always Shelly*

Shelly Haines - February 09, 2010 at 06:06 PM

VI

“ *I am so sorry for your loss Anita and family. Gordy was one of the best neighbors there could be. Very helpful and kind. He will be so missed.*

Vicki Ilgen - February 09, 2010 at 05:50 PM

CF

“ *Our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Love you all!!!*

Chris and Tracy Hettenhaus and family - February 09, 2010 at 05:19 PM

CH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Grosz and Scherck families.*

Chris and Jacob Hess - February 09, 2010 at 02:00 PM

KB

“ *Dear Hettenhaus family, please accept our deepest sympathy. You will all be kept in our prayers. Take comfort knowing your dad is wrapped in God's loving arms now. If you need anything at all please don't hesitate to call. Love and God Bless, Ken & Ellie*

Ken & Ellie Baierl - February 09, 2010 at 10:29 AM

LB

“ *Many good memories of times the four of us spent together. A good and honorable man.*

Lee & Marge Burnham - February 09, 2010 at 09:52 AM

K5

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Ken & Ellie Baierl of Fond du Lac, WI 54935 - February 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SN

“ Janet and family: I am so sorry about your dad. Know that you all are in my thoughts and prayers. Always Shelly

Shelly Haines of Grand Island, Nebraska - February 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ Our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Love you all!!!

Chris and Tracy Hettenhaus and family of Fond du Lac, WI - February 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Sorry to hear about Gordy's passing. I worked with him at Giddings and Lewis before he went to Merc. I have good memories of our time on the golf course.

Jeff Broecker - January 01, 1753 at 06:57 PM

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Jeff Broecker - January 01, 1753 at 06:54 PM