



## Valentine "Val" A. Krebsbach

December 22, 1944 - December 18, 2023

Valentine "Val" A. Krebsbach, passed away Monday, December 18, 2023, at Harbor Haven at 78 years of age.

He was born December 22, 1944, at home in St. Cloud, WI to Elmer and Geneieve (Mengel) Krebsbach. Val attended New Holstein High School. On October 28, 1967, he married Carol Ann Zinzow at the church in St. Cloud. Val is a member of Faith Lutheran Church.

Val was employed at Giddings and Lewis as a machinist until the lay-off in 1970. From there Val went to the Soo Line Railroad as a brakeman/switchman. Val retired from the railroad in 1986, due to job injuries. Val was employed at Valley Lawn Service from 1994 to 2011. Val drove part-time for Fond du Lac Express.

Over the years, Val was a member of the Fond du Lac Snowflyers Snowmobile Club, the Cardinal Quarterback Club, where he was on the board of directors, Fond du Lac Boating Club, Fond du Lac Yacht Club, where he was a treasurer for two years, Eagles Club, and the Fond du Lac Aeromodelers Association, Inc.

Val is survived by his wife Carol, son Ken (Beth) Krebsbach, daughter Kristin (Christopher) Kaatz, grandsons: Tony (Nikki) Kaatz of Wauwatosa and Nick

Krebsbach of Fond du Lac; sister Bonnie Krupp of Fond du Lac; sister-in-law Pat (George) Schmidbauer of Kiel; sister-in-law Mary (Dennis) Moore of Appleton, brother-in-law Pat Krummel of Townsend, eight nieces and nephews.

Preceding Val in death were his parents, brother Clayton Krebsbach, Carol's parents, sister-in-law Linda Krummel.

VISITATION: The family will greet friends and relatives from 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM on Saturday, December 30, 2023, at Faith Ev. Lutheran Church, 55 Prairie Road, Fond du Lac.

SERVICE: Memorial Services will be held at 12:00 PM on Saturday, December 30, 2023, at Faith Ev. Lutheran Church, with Rev. David Haugly officiating. Cremation has taken place.

Special thanks to the staff at Harbor Haven and SSM Hospice for their continued care shown to Val and family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 30. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Faith Ev. Lutheran Church  
55 Prairie Road  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935  
[office@faithlutheranfdl.org](mailto:office@faithlutheranfdl.org)  
<http://www.faithlutheranfdl.org>

## Service

DEC 30. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

GK

“ Carol, so sorry to hear of Val's death. Losing a beloved spouse is undoubtedly the most difficult thing we will ever endure. The more we have loved , the more we will grieve. We have no choice . From my experience, the first year is the year of numb, learning to be alone after so many years together. The second is the thaw and is in many ways worse than the first, and the third is the new reality, living without the guy you shared so many years with. Thinking about you. You are always welcome at my door. Virtual hugs. Gloria

gloris krebsbach - January 24, 2024 at 08:22 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Valentine "Val" A. Krebsbach.



December 26, 2023 at 08:32 PM

DG

“ Della Gray lit a candle in memory of Valentine "Val" Krebsbach



Della Gray - December 20, 2023 at 11:27 AM

BR

“ Carol, my deepest sympathy to you and your family. Keep Jesus and your memories close to you. He will help you through this time of sorrow.

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**Barbara Brauer Rhode** - December 20, 2023 at 09:27 AM

MM

“ I worked with Val on the railroad, our prayers go out to his family

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**Michael & Susan Moore** - December 20, 2023 at 08:27 AM

KZ

“ Our deepest sympathies to Krebsbach Family. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

*Craig and Kim Ziegler*

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**Kim Ziegler** - December 19, 2023 at 12:19 PM