



WITH GRATITUDE



The family of Richard Arnold acknowledges with sincere appreciation the comforting messages and other expressions of kindness during this time of bereavement.

WE ARE DEEPLY GRATEFUL FOR
THE COMPASSIONATE CARE AND
SUPPORT PROVIDED BY THE
STAFF OF HOSPICE HOUSE OF
OLATHE, KS

The Arnold Family

In Loving Memory of



RICHARD
ARNOLD

DECEMBER 13, 1943 - SEPTEMBER 25, 2025

OCTOBER 18 2025

MUNDWILER FUNERAL HOME
1003 E 4TH AVE, MILBANK, SD 57252
AT 10:30 IN THE MORNING

Officiating: Natasha Arnold

ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL
TRENT ARNOLD

WELCOME AND PRAYER
NATASHA ARNOLD

SCRIPTURE READING: REVELATION 21:1-7
NATASHA ARNOLD

TRADITIONAL HYMN
HOW GREAT THOU ART

FAMILY WITNESS: REMEMBERING RICHARD
DUSTIN ARNOLD AND DAVID ARNOLD

EULOGY
NATASHA ARNOLD

PRAYER AND BENEDICTION
NATASHA ARNOLD

RECESSIONAL SONG: EDELWEISS
ZACHARY ARNOLD FOLLOWED BY FAMILY

COMMITTAL
BENJAMIN ARNOLD

OBITUARY

Richard Lane Arnold, 81, passed away of natural causes in Olathe, KS, on September 25th 2025, surrounded by loved ones.

He was born Dec 13th, 1943, in Ortonville, MN. A native of Milbank, SD, Richard, spent his childhood aiding his family in tending the Arnold farm. It was there he developed his interest in animal science, eventually becoming a youth judge for 4-H. Upon graduation from Milbank High School, he went on to South Dakota State University earning his undergraduate degree and later his PhD.

Richard owned and operated Southwest Nutrition for decades, and this allowed him to travel the world. He treasured these experiences, often sharing his stories from across the globe with friends and family. From the Great Wall of China to witnessing the fall of the Berlin Wall, Richard savored his opportunities to see the world. His reflections of visits to over 40 countries live on in his self-published books. Richard particularly enjoyed sharing his experience visiting The Holy Land.

Richard had a passion for singing, from barbershop quartet, to singing in family weddings; it was a gift he loved to share. Richard contributed to his community by singing in his church choir at Highland Park United Methodist Church in Dallas, TX. He also found great purpose in volunteering with Habitat for Humanity and mission trips with his church. He enjoyed being active, and participated in what he lovingly called Silver Slippers (Silver Sneakers) Senior fitness programs for many years.

Richard is preceded in death by his loving parents Ardyth (Johnston) and Theodore Arnold and his brother-in-law Marc Eckhart. He is survived by his children, David (Stacy) Arnold, Dustin (Jeannie) Arnold of Olathe KS, Sarah Arnold of New York, New York, Rachel (Bryan) Murphrey and Stepson Chance (Amy) Killpack of Greenville NC. Grandchildren Benjamin Arnold, Trent (Sydney) Arnold, Zachary Arnold, Natasha Arnold and Hannah Murphrey. Siblings Kyleen (Robert) Andrews, Mark (Marilyn) Arnold, Myla (Scott) Johnson all of Watertown, SD, and Debbie Eckhart of Mira Loma, CA. He is also survived by former wives Vicki (Tuttle) Arnold and Sharon (Lynn) Arnold.