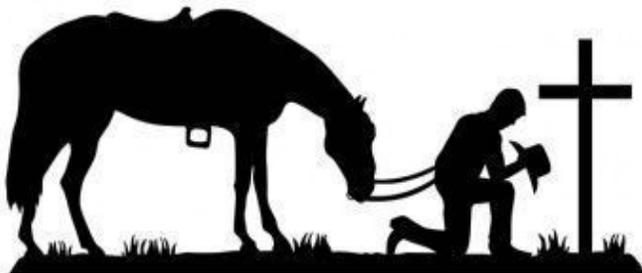




A Cowboy's Prayer

Our Heavenly Father, we pause at this time, mindful of the many blessings you have bestowed upon us. We ask, Lord, that you will be with us in the arena of life. We as cowboys do not ask for special favors. We don't ask to draw around the chute fighting horse, the steer that won't lay, or to never break the barrier. We don't even ask for all daylight runs. We do ask Lord, that you will help us live our lives here on earth as cowboys, in such a manner, that when we make that last inevitable ride, to the country up there, where the grass grows lush, green, and stirrup high, and the water runs cool, clear, and deep, that you'll take us by the hand and say: "Welcome Home, Cowboy".



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

HARLAN SCHLUETER



WHO WAS BORN
November 16, 1945
Appleton, Minnesota

AND CALLED TO HIS ETERNAL HOME
February 10, 2024
Milbank, South Dakota

MEMORIAL SERVICE
Thursday, February 15, 2024 - 3:00 p.m.
Mundwiler Funeral Home
Milbank, South Dakota

OFFICIANT
Rev. Justin Neugebauer

MUSICIANS
Kim Schlueter
Montana Molden

URN BEARERS
Jordan Schlueter | Tate Schlueter | Jesse Schneck | Blayne Meier

HONORARY URN BEARERS
Kasi Schlueter | Cheyenne Schlueter | Katelyn Schlueter

MILITARY HONORS
American Legion Birch-Miller Post #9
V.F.W. Grant County Post #3486
V.V.A. Northeast SD Chapter #1054
D.A.V. Chapter #19

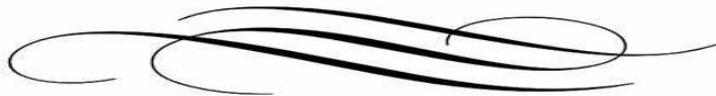
APPRECIATION
Harlan's family is grateful for your attendance at this service. Your expressions of kindness and love are deeply appreciated. Following the service, please join the family for lunch and fellowship at the V.F.W. in Milbank.

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Harlan Gordon Schlueter was born on November 16, 1945, to Gordon and Nellie (Rudnick) Schlueter in Appleton, MN. He was baptized and confirmed into the Lutheran faith. Harlan attended school until the 9th grade when he then started his career as a milk hauler. He enlisted into the United States Army on March 21, 1968, in Benson, MN and fought in the Vietnam War. He was later honorably discharged in 1969.

He was united in marriage with Arlene Elaine Pearson on September 12, 1970, at Louisburg Lutheran Church in Louisburg, MN. They were blessed with two sons: Steve and Mike. Harlan worked for Appleton Creamery as a milk hauler for numerous years. The family moved to Milbank, SD where he then worked for Dakota Granite.

He was a member of the V.F.W Post #3486 and American Lutheran Church in Milbank. He was a member of the Appleton Trailblazers Saddle Club and drill team for many years. Harlan spent his free time raising colts, competing in horse shows and making many memories with friends and family at trail rides. He was a big fan of fishing and would spend hours tinkering with his pontoon. If he was at the farm, you could find him outside looking at the tractors and watching the horses in the pasture. He most of all enjoyed spending time with his grandkids.



Harlan is survived by his wife, Arlene Schlueter of Milbank, SD; two sons: Steve (Tonya) Schlueter of Corona, SD; and Mike (Kim) Schlueter of Clontarf, MN; sister, Judy Hursh of Appleton, MN; brother, Lowell (Kay) Schlueter of Dayton, OH, four grandchildren: Jordan (Katelyn) Schlueter of Watertown, SD; Kasi Schlueter of Corona, SD; Tate Schlueter of Corona, SD; Cheyenne (Blayne Meier) Schlueter of Pipestone, MN; two great-grandchildren: Roper and Bronclynn Meier and another on the way; one nephew, Jeremy Schlueter; and three nieces: Pam Hursh; Camille Hursh; and Kimberly Schlueter; brother-in-law, Wayne Pearson. Harlan is preceded in death by his parents: Gordon and Nellie Schlueter; aunts, uncles, and in-laws.

In Honored Memory

