



Funeral Service

New Gottland Lutheran Church

McPherson, Kansas

Thursday, May 14, 2026, at 10:30 AM

Officiant

Pastor Laura Smith

Video Tribute Music

"Go Rest High on that Mountain" by Vince Gill

"I Can Only Imagine" by MercyMe

"John Deere Green" by Joe Diffie

"When I Get Where I'm Going"

by Brad Paisley and Dolly Parton

"Live Like You Were Dying" by Tim McGraw

Service Music

Processional: "How Great Thou Art"

Duet: "Angels Among Us"

Duet: "God Be With You"

Gabrielle Montes, vocalist / Joel Montes, guitarist

Recessional: "On Eagles Wings"

Jan Larson, organist

Casket Bearers

Gabrielle & Joel Montes ~ Grace & Andrew Hauff

Lane & Grace Wiens ~ Reed & Kaylee Wiens

Caleb & Emma Wiens ~ Ethan Wiens (Haven Pruitt)

Aiden Wiens

Ushers

Gary Patrick ~ Marvin Johnson

Final Resting Place

New Gottland Lutheran Church Cemetery

Memorial Donations

The family suggests memorial donations be made to New Gottland Lutheran Church in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

Appreciation & Luncheon

Dick's family wishes to express sincere appreciation for your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this service.

Following the burial, all are invited back to the church for food and fellowship.

Stockham Family Funeral Home



In Loving Memory
Richard "Dick" H. Wiens
December 1, 1944 - May 8, 2026

*Celebrating the Life of
Richard "Dick" Wiens
1944 ~ 2026*

Richard "Dick" Henry Wiens, 81, of rural McPherson, KS, peacefully passed away after a very brief battle with pancreatic cancer on Friday, May 8, 2026, surrounded by family at the Harry Hynes Hospice Center in Wichita.

Dick was born on December 1, 1944, in Hutchinson, KS, the son of Henry R. and Rubena M. (Enns) Wiens. He attended West Liberty School and Plainview School in rural Inman before graduating from Inman Rural High School in 1962.

On March 26, 1966, Dick was united in marriage to Carol Suzanne Anderson at New Gottland Lutheran Church in rural McPherson. They had met each other at the McPherson County Fair in 1962. Dick and Carol recently celebrated 60 years of marriage and built a life centered around faith and family.

Dick worked at Cessna Fluid Power and Barkman Honey prior to working as a machinist for CertainTeed and American Maplan. Following retirement, he worked in maintenance at Home State Bank & Trust. Throughout his many years of employment, Dick faithfully farmed and raised cattle — work that was truly closest to his heart.

He was a devoted member of New Gottland Lutheran Church, where he served on the church council as both chairman and treasurer. Dick was also a past president and board member for the Canton-Galva School District, served on the McPherson County Extension Council, and dedicated 16 years to the McPherson County Rural Water District #4 Board, where he was currently serving as president.

*Honor
Loving Memory*

Early in his and Carol's relationship, Dick owned two Pontiac GTOs — a 1964 and a 1967 — but throughout his life, his greatest joy was always his family. He especially loved taking his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren on rides in the farm equipment and was always willing to lend a helping hand to neighbors and friends.

He is survived by his loving wife, Carol; three sons, Rodney (Debra) Wiens of Colwich, KS, Galen (Jennifer) Wiens of McPherson, KS, and Gordon (Carrie) Wiens of Wichita, KS; siblings, Don (Doris) Wiens of Kensington, KS, Larry (Marna) Wiens of McPherson, KS, and Mary Ann (Jim) Peters of Sterling, CO; seven grandchildren, Gabrielle (Joel) Montes, Lane (Grace) Wiens, Grace (Andrew) Hauff, Caleb (Emma) Wiens, Reed (Kaylee) Wiens, Ethan Wiens (Haven Pruitt), and Aiden Wiens; five great-grandchildren, Penelope Hauff, Henry Wiens, Rosalie Hauff, Alida Wiens, and Hadley Wiens; along with many extended relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; infant brother, Harlan Wiens; and sister, Dorothy Sand.

Dick will be remembered for his steady faith, strong work ethic, generous spirit, and the deep love he had for his family, farm, and community.

