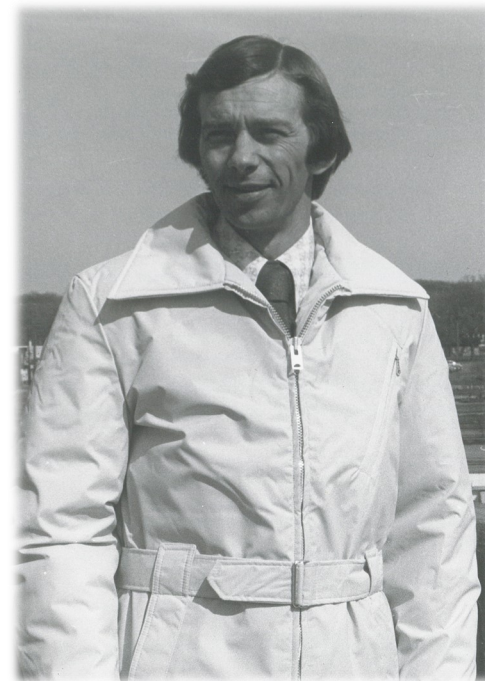


Fredrick Francis Vandersnick was born on February 16, 1940, in Sioux Falls, to Reynold and Agatha (Burkey) Vandersnick. He grew up on his parent's farm and graduated from Garretson High School in 1958. After his graduation he served briefly in the Army National Guard before beginning his lifelong career with Raven Industries working with electronics and aerospace technologies. His career took him all over the world and even after retiring he returned to Raven as a consultant.

On September 6, 1963, he married Judith Nussbaum in Sioux Falls. They lived in the Renner area their entire marriage. He enjoyed hunting, gun collecting, and was an active member of the Winchester Club. He enjoyed taking trips with Judy with the highlight being their trip to Paris.

Fred passed away on Thursday, February 26, 2026, at Dougherty Hospice House in Sioux Falls, at the age of 86.

Survivors include his wife, Judy, Renner; siblings: Tom (Janet) Vandersnick, Pierre, Jude Klaus, Sioux Falls, Nancy Olund, Sherman, Sue Beatty, Wakonda, Peg Quamen, Garretson, Rick (Lurene) Vandersnick, Garretson, Mark (Julie Garry) Vandersnick, Sioux Falls, and Joe (Karen) Vandersnick, Garretson; brother-in-law, Dick (Marjorie) Nussbaum, Brandon; and a multitude of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents.



In Memory Of **Fredrick F. Vandersnick**

February 16, 1940 - February 26, 2026

Celebration of Life

5-7:00 PM

Tuesday, March 3, 2026
Minnehaha Funeral Home
Garretson, South Dakota

Honorary Pallbearers

Fred's Nieces and Nephews



*In the end...
It's not the years in your life that count...
It's the life in your years that count!*



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