

Roger Moyer ^{64-R}
12-6-2018

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A graveside service was scheduled for 11:00 a.m., Thursday, December 6th, at Rock Creek Cemetery west of Grinnell. Pallbearers were Kayla Astelle, Jessica Cook, Haley Moyer, Doug Moyer, Kraig Schmidt, Danny McCulley, and Spencer Moyer. A reception was held at 12:00 p.m. at the Grinnell Eagles.

Visitation began at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday at the Smith Funeral Home and his family received friends from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Memorials may be designated to the Roger Moyer Memorial Fund, to benefit Grinnell Regional Hospice and the Jasper County Animal Rescue League, mailed in care of the Smith Funeral Home, PO Box 368, Grinnell, Iowa 50112. Memories and condolences may be shared with his family online at www.smithfh.com.

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Roger was united in marriage to Joan Kae Kinnaird on July 3, 1964, at the First Baptist Church in Grinnell. They were blessed with two sons, Tom and Rick. Roger worked at the Deep Rock Gas Station in Grinnell for several years. It was later renamed to Moyer's Kerr-McGee Service Station. He retired from the gas station in 1988 and was then employed at VanWyk Freight Lines in Grinnell until 2016.

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Survivors include his two sons, Tom (Pam) Moyer of Ankeny and Rick (Monica) Moyer of Grinnell; five grandchildren, Kayla (Travis) Astelle of Newton, Iowa, Jessica (Ian) Cook of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Haley Moyer of Grinnell, Matthew (Abby) Moyer of Grinnell, and Spencer Moyer of Grinnell; four great grandchildren, Lydia and Cyrus Versendaal and Ryker and Kylie Astelle all of Newton, Iowa; and his siblings, Allan (Shirley) Moyer of Grinnell, Dean Moyer of Estes Park, Colorado, Harold (Beverly) Moyer of Grinnell, Karol Gilliland of Marshalltown, Iowa, Mary (John) Schmidt of Grinnell, and Joyce Lincoln of Stuart, Iowa. Roger was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Joan in 2014; and his siblings, Arlene Pierce, James Moyer, Bob Moyer, Frank Moyer, and Maxine Osborn.



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