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Larry E. Ashing

Larry E. Ashing, age 82, of Grinnell died on December 7, 2023 at home surrounded by loved ones.

Per his request there will be no funeral service. Larry's family will receive friends at the memorial gathering held from 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM on Tuesday, December 12, 2023, at Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell. A private family inurnment will be held at Hickory Grove Cemetery.

Larry was born in Grinnell on October 31, 1941, to Lester and Ellen (Taylor) Ashing. He attended Newburg grade

school, graduating from Gilman High School with the class of 1960. On June 23, 1963, Larry married Rosemary Hauersperger at Hickory Grove Church. The couple made their home near Grinnell. They were blessed with three children; Robert, Susan and Steven. He is survived by his wife of 60 years Rosemary; children, Robert (Pam) Ashing, Susan Hovega, and Steven (Jennifer) Ashing; and grandchildren, Elizabeth and Sarah Ashing, Mary and Laura Hovenga, and John and Reese Ashing.

Memorial contributions may be designated to the Larry Ashing Memorial Fund, mailed to the Smith Funeral Home, PO Box 368, Grinnell, IA 50112.

