Doug Francis Lavent



May 10, 1947-Jan. 31, 2025 Doug Lavent, 77 Montezuma passed away Friday morning, Jan. 31, 2025, at the UnityPoint Grinnell Regional Medical Center. As was his wish, his body has been cremated and no services are planned. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Montezuma Food Pantry and may be sent to Holland-Coble Funeral Home; In Care of Doug Lavent; P.O. Box 727; Montezuma, Iowa 50171, Holland-Coble Funeral Home of Montezuma is in charge of arrangements.

Douglas Francis Lavent, the son of Valare and Francine (Johnston) Lavent, was born on May 10, 1947, in Grinnell. He graduated from Brooklyn High School with the class of 1965. On Jan. 25, 1966, Doug was united in marriage to Linda Audas. To this union two children were born, Wendy and Ken. Doug spent his life on the farm farming with his grandfather on the century farm along with farming on his own land. After retiring from farming, Doug enjoyed rebuilding old tractors to occupy his time.

Doug is survived by his Wendy daughter, Lavent Amatangelo of Ankeny; his son, Ken Lavent of Montezuma; his granddaughter, Tori (Greg) Peterson; great granddaughter, Samantha Leigh Peterson; his great grandson, Grant Lee Peterson; two sisters, Debra Lavent of Arlington, TX. and Valerie Blain of Arlington, TX; along with many nieces. nephews and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife, Linda Layent.