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Kenneth (Kenny) Gene Heriford, age 66 of Centerville, Iowa, passed away Sunday, April 14, 2013 at the Continental Care Center in Seymour.

He was born April 26, 1946 in Old Foster, Iowa, the son of Elberta Heriford. Kenny grew up in Moravia, Iowa and graduated from Moravia High School in 1964.

Following high school graduation, Kenny enrolled in a six week welding certification program at John Deere in Ottumwa, Iowa. He worked at John Deere as a certified welder for thirty four years until his retirement in 2001.

In his free time, Kenny enjoyed music, fishing, and watching classic "western" movies. Most importantly, he loved spending time with his children and grandchildren.

Kenny is survived by his six children, Cassy (Ray) Lester of Lincoln, Nebraska, Bobby Heriford of Centerville, Iowa, Tanya (Mike) Henderson of Centerville, Iowa, Tammi (Ryan)Walker, Tim (Debbie) Batterson and Zach Egbert of Centerville; seventeen grandchildren; two great grandchildren; three cousins, Eddie, Todd, and Janie; his aunt Ethel; and family friends John Beal and Richard (Kathy) Doud.

He was preceded in death by his wife Jane Heriford in 1992 and later by his wife Sherri Heriford in 2010; his mother Elberta Heriford in 2005; and a cousin Harold.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held 1 PM, Thursday, April 18, 2013 at Lange Funeral Home and Crematory in Centerville with Tim Batterson leading the service. Memorials have been established to either The Continental Care Center at Seymour or Girl Scout Troop # 290 and may be given to Lange Funeral Home and Crematory, 1900 S. 18th St., Centerville, Iowa 52544. Condolences may be shared online at www.langefh.com.

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Thomas Funeral Home posted:

October 21 at 12:32 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Kenny was my God father. My dad, Ed Ashmore, just recently passed away on April 2nd, and I remember dad and my mom talking about when Kenny lived with us. He would come home from work late at night, and wake me up so he could sing me to sleep! Anytime I had raffle tickets to sell in in school, uncle Kenny would always by whatever I had left. I will miss his smile, amd hearing him sing. But, I am sure that he and my daddy are up in heaven telling fish stories and uncle Kenny is playing music while my daddy is dancing! I love you Uncle Kenny!!!! Posted by Becky (Ashmore) Miller - Fremont, IA - God daughter April 23, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I always enjoyed seeing and visiting with Kenny. It was cool to go hear him sing and play when I was younger. Kenny has always been thought of more as an older brother than cousin. My thoughts and prayers are with you, and always will be. Todd Posted by Todd Heriford - Baxter, IA - Cousin April 19, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

So sorry to hear of Kenny's passing. He was a dear friend of my dad's (Larry - Abe - Martin) and a great part of my childhood. I spent many, many hours listening to him and all the guys play and sing. He was a dear, sweet man who was so proud of his kids and family. Prayers and thoughts are with you all. My sisters (Lana and Lisa) and my mom (Darleen) express their condolences as well. Posted by Laura Martin Horton - Plano, IA - friend April 18, 2013

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Anonymous posted:

Sorry for your loss, i thought very highly of Kenny, an will always miss his stories and the day he told me i was to big to be going through the basement window lol!! Posted by jayln April 17, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Lora and I were sorry to hear KenLPPny has passed away. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Posted by David Ahee April 17, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you. I love you Bobby and Cassy. Take care Posted by Charlet Knowles - Ottumwa, IA - Skylar Herifords Mother April 17, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

May God wrap you in his loving arm and give you the strength needed to get through this most difficult time and your memories help ease the pain Posted by Jo Ann Laurson April 16, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Cassie, Tammy, Tim, Bobby and Families Our thoughts and prayers are with you, during this difficult time in your lives. Posted by Susie & Chuck Johnson - Loves Park, IL April 16, 2013

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Anonymous posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. I have a lot of good memories of Kenny. The block parties were so much fun. I will always remember Kenny for his music and songs. I loved to hear him sing. He used to sing some of the songs he had written and they were as good as what was playing on the radio. Kenny was such a talented person. The last time I saw him we got to visit quite awhile. He was quite a guy and certainly will be missed.

Posted by Patti Slavin Richmond - Albia, IA - Friend April 15, 2013

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