



George Milton Greve Jr.

March 4, 1931 - December 23, 2018

George Milton Greve, Jr., age 87 of Erie, KS, passed away on Sunday, December 23, 2018 at Robert J. Dole VA Hospital in Wichita, KS. George was born March 4, 1931 outside of Urbana, KS on the family farm, the son of George Milton, Sr. and Lena Marie (Stich) Greve.

He graduated from Altoona High School in 1949. George enlisted in the United States Army July 1, 1952 and served until June 30, 1954. He was proud to have served his country and he received the National Defense Service Medal and Good Conduct Medal. On June 1, 1956, George married Betty Greer in Neodesha, KS. Later that year on October 3, 1956, they purchased their first piece of property outside of Erie, KS. George enjoyed going to auctions and family reunions. He loved his family and will be greatly missed.

George is survived by

Children:

Venita Sue DeCoster and husband Dale of Chanute

Robert Milton Greve of Chanute

Sandra Denise Keough of Manhattan, KS

Larry D. Greve and wife Donna of Mound Valley, KS

Jason Wayne Greve and wife Hannah of Chanute

Siblings:

Frank Greve
Mary Keys
Geneva Wilkes
Grandchildren:
Angela DeMeritt
Shawn DeCoster
Steven DeCoster
Blaine Crellin
Dwayne Crellin
Tonya Greve
Tammy Greve
Nicholas Greve
Adam L. Greve
Lacey Kay Greve
Tristen Venita Greve
Colton Charles Fritch
Hayden Greve
18 Great Grandchildren

George was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Betty; son, Wesley W. Greve and brother, Charles Greve.

Rosary will be recited Monday, December 31, 2018 9:15 a.m. at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Chanute, KS. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow Rosary at 10 a.m. at the church. Interment will follow at Odense Cemetery. The Chanute Honor Guard will be in charge of military honors. Online condolences may be left at: www.countrysidefh.com. Memorials suggested to Children's Miracle Network or Veterans Hospice and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Arrangements have been entrusted to: Countryside Funeral Home 101 N. Highland, Chanute, KS 66720.

Cemetery Details

Odense Cemetery

15000 230th Rd.
Erie, KS 66733

Previous Events

Rosary

DEC 31. 9:15 AM (CT)

St. Patrick's Catholic Church - Chanute
424 S. Central
Chanute, KS

Service

DEC 31. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Chanute, KS

Tribute Wall

SG

“ I remember the day a neighbor T-boned my dad's truck on the driver's side. That neighbor pleaded with my dad to not call the sherrif's department because he had no insurance. My dad did have mercy on him because, not only was the man a new neighbor, but he had many small children and a wife he was trying to support. My dad came to get me to try and pull the truck home, but the wheel axel was locked up, and we were only able to drag it off the road. It was evening and the though the sun was shining it did not blind my view of my dad standing high upon his tractor driving home. I remember thinking that the sun could not outshine him at that moment, and that I wished that I had a camera. I quickly dismissed the importance of a camera because I knew I would never forget what I had witnessed that day. Our heavenly Father's glory shown through my dad that day. Rest in peace daddy.

<https://photos.app.goo.gl/K8BATDwgb5tVYqGV9>

Sandra Greve - August 24, 2023 at 12:05 PM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of George Milton Greve Jr..



December 29, 2018 at 11:14 AM

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“ *Mr. George was quite a character! We send our condolences to all of the family and will be praying for you as you mourn the loss of your loved one.*

In Christ,

Malcolm and Steven Graham

Malcolm Graham - December 28, 2018 at 01:11 PM

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“ *Mr. George was truly one of a kind. He will be missed.*



steve webb - December 26, 2018 at 11:58 PM

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“ *To my amazing "hand chosen" family,*

I am so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you all. I will never forget our adventures on the farm and the sweet way that him and grandma always welcomed me with open arms. I love you Mom Decoster, Shawn and family.

*With Love,
Crystal Treloggen and family*



Crystal - December 26, 2018 at 02:33 PM