

Wesley Alan Hanson, 69, Spirit Lake, Iowa, died Friday, July 3, 2020, at Avera McKenna Hospital in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Wesley Alan Hanson was born October 6, 1950, at Devils Lake, ND to Ever and Alta (Lunden) Hanson. He graduated from Oberon High School in 1968. He attended and graduated from the University of North Dakota (UND) Grand Forks, ND.

He taught school in Grandin, ND. Wes held many jobs and for the last years was employed by Rydell Chevrolet in Spirit Lake, Iowa.

Wes enjoyed spending time with his family and friends. Wes made and kept friends from all aspects of his life from childhood, school, college, work, and communities. He had a love for sports at all levels and attended as many events as he could. Wes will forever be known for his stories, jokes, kindness and generosity. There was never a quiet time when Wes was around.

He is survived by his sisters, Diane Brines, Dickinson and Wendy Church, Devils Lake, brother, Tiger (Alan) Hanson, Oberon, one niece, four nephews, four great nieces, five great nephews, and a great-great niece and nephew.

Wes was preceded in death by his parents, his step-mother, Bernice, brother, Oley and brother-in-law, James Brines.

*In Loving Memory of
Wesley "Wes" A. Hanson*

October 6, 1950 – July 3, 2020



*Loving ~ Caring ~ Kind
Brother ~ Friend ~ Uncle
Great Uncle ~ Great-Great Uncle*

Celebrating The Life Of
Wesley "Wes" Alan Hanson

October 6, 1950 – Devils Lake, ND
July 3, 2020 – Sioux Falls, SD

To Those I Love

*If I should ever leave you whom I love
To go along the Silent Way, grieve not,
Nor speak of me with tears, but laugh and talk
Of me as if I were beside you there.
(I'd come - I'd come, could I but find a way!
But would not tears and grief be barriers?)
And when you hear a song or see a bird
I loved, please do not let the thought of me
Be sad...For I am loving you just as I always have...
You were so good to me!
There are so many things I wanted still to do -
So many things to say to you...
Remember that I did not fear...It was just leaving you
That was so hard to face...
We cannot see Beyond...but this I know:
I loved you so - 'twas heaven here with you!
~Isla Paschal Richardson*

VISITATION

Thursday, July 9, 2020 ~ 12:00PM - 7:00PM
Evans Funeral Home, New Rockford, ND

PRAYER SERVICE

Thursday, July 9, 2020 ~ 7:00PM
Evans Funeral Home, New Rockford, ND

FUNERAL SERVICE

Friday, July 10, 2020 ~ 2:00PM
Calvary Lutheran Church, Oberon, ND

OFFICIATING

Pastor Jeff Halvorson

MUSIC

Luanna Buckmeier ~ Organist
Recorded Music
*I Walk Today Where Jesus Walked
Take My Hand Precious Lord
Just As I Am*

HONORARY BEARERS

Shelly Olheiser ~ Nathan Brines ~ Dustin Church
Troy Church ~ Jared Church

BURIAL

Grandfield Lutheran Cemetery, rural Sheyenne, ND

Arrangements by
Evans Funeral Home – Carrington & New Rockford, ND
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