



George P. Lessard

July 11, 1971 - March 29, 2025

A Funeral Service for George was Monday, April 7, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. at the Fairmont Community Church in Fairmont, Nebraska. Pastor Kathy Uldrich and Pastor Lance Clay presided over the Funeral Service.

Robin Galusha was the organist and she accompanied the congregation in the singing of "In The Garden." The recorded selections "Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone," "Face To Face," and "I Can Only Imagine" were also played during the service.

Pallbearers included Dan Vavra, Jim Kaeb, Todd Hummel, Joe Whittaker, Dave Erickson, and Don Bristol.

Honorary pallbearers included John Lowe, Olivia Schuman, Scott Engelbrecht, and Jim Hoover.

It was George's wish to be cremated following the Funeral Service.

Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation.

George Paul Lessard, was born in Mansfield, Ohio to Larry and Rosemary Eich on July 11, 1971. George passed away in Fargo, North Dakota at Sanford Medical Center on March 29, 2025 after a short illness at the age of

53 years old.

George was adopted in 1995 by his Aunt Dorothy (Eich) Lessard and Uncle Michael Lessard, at the age of 30. He gained two sisters Monica and Jeanne. They resided as a family in Arizona and Texas. George attended Douglas High School in Douglas, Arizona, later obtaining his GED. George was always a loyal and hard worker having many different jobs in his time, but after obtaining his CDL, his life and passion was being a truck driver for almost 30 years. During his years of trucking, he drove for Allied, Mel Easton and Sons, Friend Freightways and JBJ Transportation. George settled in Fairmont, Nebraska after meeting Michelle while driving truck, and they started Lessard Trucking.

George married Michelle (Smith) Palmer on May 18, 2018 in Lake Tahoe, California. God's artwork made this day beyond special. To this marriage three yorkies were adopted: Sophia, Savanna and Stuart Little. They were the apple of their Daddy's eye. They Loved to go trucking and on little adventures with George.

George loved the outdoors, especially fishing, hunting, and shooting his bow and guns. He attended Fairmont Community Church. He loved small-town living, describing it as friendly and quiet.

George was preceded in death by his father and mother, Larry and Rosemary Eich; adoptive mother, Dorothy (Eich) Lessard; his father-in-law and mother-in-law, John and Mildred Smith; and grandparents on both sides of his family.

George is survived by his wife, Michelle Lessard of Fairmont, Nebraska; father, Michael Lessard of Scottsdale, Arizona; sisters, Monica (Lawrence) Schuman of Phoenix, Arizona and Jeanne Lessard of Peoria, Arizona; and a host of aunt, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, trucker families and friends.

Previous Events

Family Present for Visitation

APR 6. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Farmer & Son Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

APR 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

Fairmont Community Church
705 F Street
Fairmont, NE 68354

Tribute Wall

MD

“ *The Community of the Praise and Worship Center are sending lots of love and prayers to Fr. Mike and they entire family. Please know that we are thinking of you and will always be here to support you. May George be welcomed home with the message and the love of Jesus and welcomed into his eternal home.*

Mark Dippre - April 08, 2025 at 12:56 PM



“ *22 files added to the album Flower Pictures*



Farmer & Son Funeral Home - April 07, 2025 at 04:37 PM

JH

“ *We were so sorry to hear of George's passing. He was a sweet, caring and compassionate man who was so thoughtful to us when he came to visit in AZ. Rest In Peace our brother, wrapped in the arms of Jesus. 🙏*

Jeff and Susan Hofmeister - April 06, 2025 at 12:04 AM

JH

“ Jeff and Susan Hofmeister purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of George P. Lessard.



Jeff and Susan Hofmeister - April 02, 2025 at 05:30 PM

MM

“ Monica Magoola lit a candle in memory of George Lessard



Monica Magoola - April 02, 2025 at 02:56 PM

DJ

“ Don & Barbara Jensen purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of George P. Lessard.



Don & Barbara Jensen - April 02, 2025 at 02:04 PM

DJ

“ Don & Barbara Jensen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George P. Lessard.

Don & Barbara Jensen - April 02, 2025 at 02:04 PM

TH

“ I will be always thankful for George being in my Cousin's life. The time was certainly to short however cherished.

Todd Hummel - April 02, 2025 at 11:06 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of George P. Lessard.



March 31, 2025 at 04:34 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of George P. Lessard.

March 31, 2025 at 04:34 PM

CD

“ Central Nebraska District purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of George P. Lessard.



Central Nebraska District - March 31, 2025 at 03:48 PM

JT

“ JBJ Trucking purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of George P. Lessard.



JBJ Trucking - March 31, 2025 at 03:17 PM

JG

“ Jason george lit a candle in memory of George Lessard



Jason george - March 31, 2025 at 02:09 PM

DS

“ Dr Mike Smith purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of George P. Lessard.



Dr Mike Smith - March 31, 2025 at 01:58 PM