

GERALD "JERRY" ZIMMERMAN JANUARY 5, 1941 – MAY 16, 2021

Jerry E. Zimmerman, 80, of Ashland, NE, entered into rest on Sunday, May 16, 2021, at Methodist Hospital in Omaha, NE. He was born on January 5, 1941, in Rulo, NE to Harold and Clara (Fredrick) Zimmerman. In 1960, Jerry graduated from the Nebraska School for the Deaf in Omaha, NE.

Jerry was a skilled carpenter who was very hard working and loved to joke with people when the opportunity presented itself. If Jerry was not working or spending time with his family, he would usually be hunting or fishing. Hunting and fishing were Jerry's life. In the past, he loved race cars and he was a great athlete. Jerry was always thinking of others, even when it came to him being deaf. He never wanted anyone to be uncomfortable and he let people know that his being deaf was not a disability because it never prevented him from doing anything.

He is survived by children, Pam (David) Guenther of Ventura, CA, Donny (Heather) Zimmerman of Cedar Creek, NE, Francis Zimmerman of Omaha, NE and Terry (Cortney) Zimmerman of Ashland, NE; grandchildren, Maddie and Colin Guenther, Trisha and Dakota Zimmerman, Matt Austin, Timmy Hoffman, Rebecca Price, Jacob and Jesse James Zimmerman, Lane, Drake, and Ranger Zimmerman; great-grandchildren, Daniel Perry and Madeline Hoffman; many other family members and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Harold and Clara Zimmerman; sisters, Donna, Waunetta, and Carol.

Funeral Service

Thursday, May 20, 2021 ~ 10:30 a.m. Riverview Community Church ~ Ashland, Nebraska

Visitation

Wednesday, May 19, 2021 ~ 5:00-8:00 p.m. Marcy Mortuary ~ Ashland, Nebraska

Memorials

In the care of the family