



## Larry "Fuzzy" Udem

May 18, 1935 - October 8, 2020

Larry "Fuzzy" Udem was born May 18, 1935 to Mart and Eva Udem, Rogers, North Dakota. He attended Rogers High School graduating class of 1953. Larry won the heart of Margaret "Sis" Egan marrying in February 1966. They made their home on the farm outside of Rogers for the past 54 years. Larry's joy came from many things in life but farming with his son and sharing his love of the land with him, watching him learn and grow, was his pride. Larry lovingly put his daughter through nursing school with only one request, "You have to take care of me when I need you". With all the love she had, his request was honored. The honor was hers. He had a strong and un-ending love of the land, family, and God.

He was a member of Bethel Lutheran Church, Rogers.

Larry died on October 8th at Mercy Hospital, Valley City, North Dakota, surrounded and held by his wife, son, daughter, son-in-law, and granddaughter. He whispered softly, "Let's go." and when asked "Where?" he simply responded firmly and without hesitation, "Heaven."

He was preceded in death by his parents; his sisters, Delphine Brakke and her husband Bill and Elaine Nevue and her husband Rod; his brother Danny Udem; and brother-in-law Ken Porter.

Larry is lovingly leaving, no good-byes, but rather see-you-laters to his loving and devoted wife, Margaret Udem; daughter Ann Mendoza (Santiago); son Marty Udem; granddaughter Taylen Mendoza; sisters, Lone (Art) Anderson and Patty Porter; and many nieces and nephews.

The funeral service for Larry will be 10:30 am Tuesday, October 13, at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Valley City. Visitation will be 4-6 pm Monday at Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City. Burial will be in Hillside Cemetery, Valley City.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel. An online guestbook is available at [www.oliver-nathanchapel.com](http://www.oliver-nathanchapel.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Hillside Cemetery

Valley City, ND

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **12**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel  
251 Central Ave. S.  
Valley City, ND

## Visitation

OCT **13**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Our Savior's Lutheran Church  
138 3rd St. NW  
Valley City, ND

## Funeral Service

OCT **13**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Our Savior's Lutheran Church  
138 3rd St. NW  
Valley City, ND

# Tribute Wall

KF

“ So sorry to hear from Bambi of Larry’s passing. What wonderful memories you all have! Sis, you were always so special to me as we were young and teenage girls. I am thinking of you and praying for all of you.

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**Karlene Frank** - October 19, 2020 at 03:09 PM

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“ We are so sorry to hear of Larry’s passing, he was one of a kind & we smile when thinking of him. Thoughts and prayers to you all. Vicki & Mike Metcalf



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**Vicki Zinck Metcalf** - October 18, 2020 at 10:58 AM

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“ After all the years at the DL Pizza, on the farm and especially at Melissa Lake. We were together as our kids (primarily Kip) grew up together. What wonderful memories not to be forgotten. We love you and Larry’s spirit will be with you forever. Thanks for the video. Take care.

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**Tom, Karen and Kip Olson** - October 15, 2020 at 07:21 PM

JL

“ In High School 'Fuzz' was the name I remember. I visited him and 'Sis' at his home in the nineties, will never forget his disgust at a bunch he had seen somewhere who "had their caps on backwards"...a disgust that I shared with him. The last time I saw him was when I was traveling to a horseshoe pitching tournament in Hibbing MN. we had lunch with the two of them in Detroit Lakes MN...We'll miss you Fuzz...

Jim Link - October 14, 2020 at 12:52 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Larry Udem's Funeral Service



Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel - October 13, 2020 at 04:38 PM

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“ Thoughts and prayers to the family.

-April Mack (Weller)

April Mack (Weller) - October 13, 2020 at 11:06 AM

LM

“ Love, Debbie, Tammy and Mike purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Larry "Fuzzy" Udem.



Love, Debbie, Tammy and Mike - October 12, 2020 at 10:43 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of Larry "Fuzzy" Udem.



October 11, 2020 at 01:56 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Larry "Fuzzy" Udem.



October 10, 2020 at 10:10 AM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of Larry "Fuzzy" Udem.



October 10, 2020 at 09:28 AM



“ *Serene Retreat* was purchased for the family of Larry "Fuzzy" Udem.



October 09, 2020 at 09:45 PM

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“ *What a legacy Larry leaves to his family, friends, and community. He was a wonderful person, and I always enjoyed visiting with him at NC school events. We will all cherish his memories. Thanks for the memories, Larry. RIP*

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**Chris Eriksen** - October 09, 2020 at 09:17 PM

FZ

“ *I will always remember the good times I had with Larry and his family at We-Fest every year and stopping at the farm for a visit. I will cherish the memories we had. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Fred & Debra Zeeb*

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**Fred Zeeb** - October 09, 2020 at 06:02 PM