



## Lyle Pedersen

March 30, 1943 - November 19, 2014

Lyle Pedersen was born March 30, 1943 in Valley City, North Dakota, the son of Vernon and Margaret Pedersen. He grew up in Valley City and graduated from Valley City High School in 1961. Lyle attended college at Wahpeton State School of Science and Valley City State University. He served in the United States Air Force for three years in Germany with the 17th Air Force.

He married Karen Olson in 1968 and they raised four children. Lyle worked in heating and air conditioning and farmed for 13 years. When he stopped his favorite careers he went to work for Don's FM Oil Company, Fargo, later becoming general manager.

Lyle enjoyed hunting and fishing along with the love for nature. He loved his family very much. He had served on church board, township board, hospital board and was a member of the Eagles Club and Lions Club.

He is survived by Karen; his two daughters, Denelle (Shawn) Carrier of Cavalier, ND and Jill Pedersen of Fargo, ND; a son, Eric Pedersen of Fargo, ND; two brothers, Wayne (Shannon) Pedersen of Slayton, MN and Ron (Connie) Pedersen of Bismarck, ND; and 9 grandchildren, Dustin, Hunter, Cheyenne, Dawson, Ashden, Whitley, Andre, Eden, and Boone.

Lyle was preceded in death by his parents and his son, Darin Pedersen.

The funeral service for Lyle will be held at the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City, ND on Saturday, November 22, 2014 at 10:30 AM. Visitation will be held beginning an hour prior to the service. Burial will be in Woodbine Cemetery, Valley City.

Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel of Valley City has been entrusted with handling the arrangements for Lyle. An online guestbook is available at [www.oliver-nathanchapel.com](http://www.oliver-nathanchapel.com)

# Cemetery Details

## **Woodbine Cemetery**

Valley City, ND

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Your friends at Waddell & Reed purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lyle Pedersen.* ”



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**Your friends at Waddell & Reed** - November 21, 2014 at 04:01 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Lyle Pedersen.* ”



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November 21, 2014 at 03:05 PM

DG

“ *I was sad to hear of the passing of Lyle. He was a good classmate and a friend who shared the growing up experience of high school. He will be missed by all of us.* ”

*Dennis Gillund Class of 61*

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**Dennis Gillund** - November 21, 2014 at 02:28 PM

BL

“ *Lyle was a classmate through our "growing up years" and I am very sorry to learn about his passing. He was a gentle soul, and we will surely miss him.* ”

*Sincerely, Barb Sheppard Lang, VCHS Class of 1961*

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**Barbara Lang** - November 21, 2014 at 02:03 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lyle Pedersen.*



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November 21, 2014 at 09:45 AM



“ *Stacy T. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Lyle Pedersen.*



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**Stacy T.** - November 21, 2014 at 09:11 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Lyle Pedersen.*



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November 21, 2014 at 08:27 AM



“ *My thoughts n prayers are with u all, at this very sad and difficult time, Papa was a wonderful man, who I'm glad to have met n known, I remember n will cherish all my visits with him, he will be missed*

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**kathryn bachand** - November 20, 2014 at 10:24 PM



“ Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Lyle Pedersen.



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November 20, 2014 at 12:59 PM



“ Karen and family, our thoughts and prayers to your family at this time. So many memories of Lyle and his brothers when we were all venturing out into the world as adults. Lots of good times  
All three of the Pedersen boys had the most infectious laughs.



*Jim. & Paula Heinze.*

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**Jim & Paula Heinze** - November 20, 2014 at 07:35 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. So hard to let go but know Heaven is sweeter with the addition of this new angel. Hold on to the memories as he will be forever in your heart.

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**Cindi Umber-Hughes** - November 19, 2014 at 04:41 PM



“ Pat, Sandy, Jason, Trish and Priscilla Jahner purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Lyle Pedersen.



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**Pat, Sandy, Jason, Trish and Priscilla Jahner** - November 19, 2014 at 04:35 PM

CH

“ *Connie Hintzen lit a candle in memory of Lyle Pedersen*



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**connie hintzen** - November 19, 2014 at 03:48 PM

CH

*Words cannot express my sympathy for you all may he rest in peace and can now rejoice with Darren love you all so much and I thank god that he let me know one incredible man love you papa Lyle*

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**connie hintzen** - November 19, 2014 at 03:57 PM

GA

“ *Karen, Eric, Denelle, Jill & Grandchildren,*

*Prayers for you during this difficult time.  
Forever cherishing the memories of Lyle ~  
may he rest in peace free of pain.*

*Gretchen, Michael & Hayden Austin*



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**Gretchen Austin** - November 19, 2014 at 03:30 PM

RS

“ *So sorry to learn of Lyles passing. I can't even imagine what your family is going through when it hasn't even been a year since the loss of Darin. Your entire family continues to be in my thoughts and prayers. Hugs to all of u! May God give u the strength u all need to get through another difficult time. God Bless!*

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**rebecca schmaltz-mosser** - November 19, 2014 at 03:26 PM