



Larry Albert Grote

May 30, 1943 - November 18, 2023

Larry Albert Grote, age 80 of rural Bowling Green, was reunited with his beloved wife Cathy on November 18, 2023. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, November 22, at the St. Clement Catholic Church with visitation 9-11:00 and mass to follow.

Larry was born May 30, 1943, on the family farm in Ashley. He was the only son of Bernice (Orf) and Albert Grote. He attended elementary school there in Ashley and junior/high school in Bowling Green, graduating in 1961. On April 8, 1967, he married Catherine Mae York at the Catholic Church in Elsberry. They made their home in Ashley, where they raised their four daughters. He is survived by these daughters, their spouses, and grandchildren: Felicia and Tim Gamm, Hannah, Jessica, Breanne, and Chloe Kroencke, Noah and Avery Gamm; Tina and Roy Niemeyer, Loren, Kimberly, and Megan; Melinda and Jason Kneib and Bryleigh; Angela and Ben Eckler, Carissa, Delci, and Ellis.

Larry was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, and his son-in-law, Jon Kroencke.

Larry instilled in his children and grandchildren the value of hard work as he himself worked at Galloway and Magruder Limestone for over 40 years while also raising hogs and a few cattle at the family farm. He found solace in the simple joys of life—sitting outside under a shade tree, going to church, or

praying the rosary. He had an incredible memory and could retell stories with family and friends with a voice that always let you know he was in the room. While able, he always tried to get to a ball game or recital when his grandchildren were involved.

Pallbearers are his sons-in-law, Tim Gamm, Roy Niemeyer, Jason Kneib, and Ben Eckler, along with family friends, Russell Orf and David Pine. Honorary pallbearers are Tim Grote, Michael Swarnes, Sam Hook, and Bob Galloway.

Memorials may be made to the St. Clement Catholic Church for masses in his memory or the St. Clement Cemetery Association.

May Larry Albert rest in eternal peace, his spirit living on in the hearts of those who loved him.

Cemetery Details

St. Clement Cemetery

St. Clement, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **22**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Clement Catholic Church
21509 Hwy 161
Bowling Green, MO 63334
<http://www.stclementmo.org>

Mass of Christian Burial

NOV **22**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

NOV **22** (CT)

St. Clement Cemetery
St. Clement, MO

Tribute Wall

MO

“ Prayers for all the family. Larry was a really wonderful man and will be missed by so many.



Molly - November 22, 2023 at 06:42 AM



“ Larry was a good friend for many, many years. We were neighbors most of my life. I always enjoyed visiting with him. He was a lot of fun to talk to and there was never a dull moment. He was truly one-of-a-kind and he will be dearly missed. I was so sad to learn of his passing. My thoughts & prayers are with the entire family. My heart goes out to you. I pray God gives you all comfort and peace during this difficult time.



Roger Pine - November 21, 2023 at 07:06 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Larry Albert Grote.



November 21, 2023 at 04:45 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry Albert Grote.*



November 21, 2023 at 02:20 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Larry Albert Grote.*



November 21, 2023 at 08:48 AM



“ *Golda Turner lit a candle in memory of Larry Albert Grote*



Golda Turner - November 21, 2023 at 08:29 AM



Bob often spoke of Larry they worked together at the Quarry. My prayers are with the family. Rest in peace,Larry.

Golda Turner - November 21, 2023 at 08:32 AM

RS

“ *Renee Sevier lit a candle in memory of Larry Albert Grote*



Renee Sevier - November 21, 2023 at 01:02 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Larry Albert Grote.*



November 20, 2023 at 08:43 PM

NL

“ *Love and prayers to Larry Albert's family. He was a great guy! I know Ray enjoyed working with him at Galloways.*

Nadine Lawson - November 20, 2023 at 07:46 PM

LN

“ *May the angels lead him into paradise. May the saints come out and welcome him and guide him to the Holy City the new and eternal Jerusalem. My condolences to the family for someone who lived hospital life well. Les Niemeyer*

Les Niemeyer - November 20, 2023 at 07:17 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry Albert Grote.*



November 20, 2023 at 06:16 PM



“ *Larry was the first man we hired for the Galloway Limestone Quarry in Ashley. He was a great man who gave his all every day. He became a treasured friend as we watched his family grow and flourish with his wonderful daughters.*

Bob Galloway - November 20, 2023 at 05:27 PM



“ *The Galloways -Bob, Lisa, and Wanda purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Larry Albert Grote.*



The Galloways -Bob, Lisa, and Wanda - November 20, 2023 at 05:23 PM



“ *Young, Craig, Niemeyers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Larry Albert Grote.*

Young, Craig, Niemeyers - November 20, 2023 at 02:46 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry Albert Grote.*



November 20, 2023 at 02:46 PM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. Linda “Gray” Barnes.*

Linda Barnes Leopold - November 20, 2023 at 02:04 PM



“ *My sympathies to all. What a kind man of God.*

Paulette Bruch - November 20, 2023 at 01:18 PM