



REMEMBERING THE LIFE OF...

Paul was born in Fergus Falls, Minnesota on September 23, 1957 to Erwin and Marian (Johnson) Bakken. Paul graduated from Pelican Rapids High School.

Paul was united in marriage to Tammy Dillon on June 23, 1979 in Pelican Rapids, MN. They had a family dairy farm from 1976 to 2005, when Paul started his beef herd. He started working for MnDOT in 2005 until retirement in 2023.

Paul enjoyed softball, touring to look for deer, cows, elk and deer hunting and most recently enjoyed spending time with his beautiful granddaughter Ava. He was a lifetime member of Grove Lake Lutheran Church. He was in Grove Lake 4-H and a board member of West Otter Tail County Fair.

Paul Bakken, age 65, of Pelican Rapids, Minnesota died on Wednesday, May 3, 2023.

Paul is survived by his wife, Tammy; his sons, Alin and Cris; granddaughter Ava; sister Karen Hart; brothers-in-law: Kevin (Vickie) Dillon, Gary (Kris) Dillon; sisters-in-law: Patti (Mike) Dillon, Diane Bakken, Phyllis Bakken; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents Erwin and Marian (Johnson) Bakken; brothers: Roger, Steve, Rick; brother-in-law Gary Hart; in-laws Don and Marcy Dillon; sister-in-law Deb (Dale) Toso; daughter-in-law Alexandra Bakken.



Blessed Be The Memory Of Paul Brian Bakken



*In Memory Of
Paul Brian Bakken*

September 23, 1957 - May 3, 2023



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Paul Brian Bakken

Honor
Loving Memory

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Thursday, May 11, 2023-11:00 a.m.
Grove Lake Lutheran Church
Rural Pelican Rapids, Minnesota

CLERGY

Pastor Clay Ellingson

MUSIC

Organist-Nadine Brown

– Congregational Hymns –

“On Eagles Wings”

“How Great Thou Art”

Soloist-Laura Hagen

“I Need Thee Every Hour”

“To Cry For You”

URN BEARERS

Alin Bakken and Cris Bakken

HONORARY URN BEARERS

MNDOT Employees, Craig Bakken, Doug Bjorkland
Kevin Dillon, Gary Dillon, Michael Fraedrich

INTERMENT

South Grove Lake Cemetery
Rural Pelican Rapids, Minnesota

Paul’s family gratefully acknowledges your attendance and many kind expressions of sympathy during their time of loss and invite you to join them for lunch and fellowship following the service.

