



Jerry Lee Ott

October 17, 1948 - October 23, 2024

Jerry Lee Ott, 76, of Marble Rock, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, October 23, 2024 at MercyOne North Iowa in Mason City.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, November 9, 2024 from 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at The Walter F. Bohl Community Center in Marble Rock.

Jerry was born on October 17, 1948 in Charles City, IA to Harold and Matilda (Love) Ott. He graduated from Rockford High School and then was drafted into the United States Navy. Jerry served during Vietnam from 1968-1970 and when he talked about his service, he referenced the ship he was on being a "floating gas station," because it was where other ships refueled. Jerry met the love of his life, Linda (Hauser) Ott when they were teenagers and they married shortly after graduation on August 10, 1968 in Charles City. To their union, two daughters were born: Melissa and Angela. The couple made their home in Marble Rock. Jerry worked at White Farm in Charles City and doing road construction before he began working at Hormel in Austin, MN. Jerry worked at Hormel for 25 plus years until retirement.

Jerry was fondly called "Elvis" and "Fonzie," because of the way he styled and slicked back his hair. Jerry loved taking his 64 Chevy Impala to car shows in the surrounding area and even won several trophies from the car shows. He also enjoyed collecting Coca Cola memorabilia and keeping his lawn in

pristine condition by mowing at least three times a week. Jerry was a proud veteran and former member of the American Legion.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Linda Ott of Marble Rock; daughters: Melissa (Delmer) Fenton of Rockford and Angela (Brian Keith) Ott of Marble Rock; brother, David (Beth) Ott of Marble Rock; grandchildren: Madison (Frankie Marino) Fenton, Cole (Kaylyn) Fenton, Tyler (Audrey) Keith, Dylan (Kaylee) Keith, Gabrielle (Landon Arends) Keith and Caitlin (Corey) Jones; great-grandchildren: Chloe, Logan, Everlee, Kinzlee, Grayson and Adalyn and many nieces, nephews and other family members.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Harold and Matilda Ott; grandsons, Jordan Fenton and Anthony Keith and parents-in-law, Raymond and Sue Hauser.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

NOV 9. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

The Walter F. Bohl Community Center
520 College Street
Marble Rock, IA 50653

Tribute Wall

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“ From Coyote Classics, Chad & Lisa Austin purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Jerry Lee Ott.



From Coyote Classics, Chad & Lisa Austin - October 29, 2024 at 11:47 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jerry Lee Ott.

October 29, 2024 at 11:10 AM

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“ Always enjoyed ice cream with him at car shows! We took turns buying 🍦 My he being enjoying car shows in heaven 🙏

Vicki Majewski - October 28, 2024 at 01:32 PM

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“ Linda, I will always cherish the good times we had getting together. We went to a few Fun Days in Greene, got together downtown or in our garage. Jerry always made us laugh. Good Times. Jerry will be missed.



Vicky Rowe - October 27, 2024 at 09:34 PM

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“ Jerry was co-pilot when we all took a trip to Omaha for a wedding. - back in Novemer of 1984. The crew included my dad, Dick Meyer, Cheryl, and other family members. It was a fun weekend. My oldest daughter, Stephanie, always referred to Jerry as "the guy who looks like Elvis" And my youngest daughter always talked about his Raptor pickup. Jerry and Linda were the attendants when my Dad and Cheryl got married. Lots of memories. You will be missed, Jerry.

Tammy Meyer Laehn - October 25, 2024 at 07:17 PM