



Terry Alan Winkey

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I really hadn't planned on going away so soon but it's been one hell of a ride. Born in Waukegan, IL to Darrell & Virginia Houston Winkey, we moved to Shell Rock, Iowa and I started school in 1949. Growing up in Shell Rock was a wonderful experience in a time like no other. It was our whole world and we had everything we needed all in one block. So sorry to see that go away. While walking to school one day I saw the most beautiful girl in the world and we soon became High School sweethearts. Connie Willbee and I were married on June 29, 1961. We began our life together as a family with the arrival of our daughter Teri Lynn and son Nick Alan.

After graduation in 1962 work began: Waverly Publishing, Titus Mfg., Cedar Falls Police Department, and then in business for myself owning and managing Amber Lounge, Bo Jingles, & Wink's Last Chance Saloon.

Sports was always a big part of my life. First was fast-pitch softball and I was honored to have played with, and against, some of the finest players of that time. Golf was next, and everything we did centered around golf; couples golf, league play, events, tournaments, and then there was the Gang.

The Gang was Steve, Chuck, Bo, Bob, Norm and I. We thought we owned the world, but we were just a bunch of jerks having fun, and boy did we have fun! Next came the time for us to watch. First it was Nick, All-State Football. Then Brandon, State Champion Wrestler, and Chase, All-State Soccer.

Now I'm older and time to do something easier, mowing my grass and growing flowers. I spend many hours planting and tending to my large variety of flowers, grown mostly in my back yard, where only a select few friends get to admire. I also have enjoyed many hours sitting on my deck-swing just enjoying the sight and smells.

My beautiful Connie left me in 2011 leaving a large hole in my life. She left behind Mini who has taken over my heart and helped me through the difficult times.

Sorry I can't be here to see my four beautiful Great-Grandkids; Lexi, Jackson, Bennie, and Braxton grow up, but I know they will all do well.

Preceded by; Wife Connie, Parents Darrell and Virginia, Grandson Chase, and our dogs Scooter and Scamp.

Survived by; Son Nick (Shannon), Grandson Brandon (Melissa), Four Great-Grandchildren, Sister Mavis, Nieces Shelli and Kendra, Mini, and a few special friends.

[Terry was President of the Cedar Falls Police Protective Association, which was instrumental in bringing entertainment into the city for benefit shows and providing donations to many area organizations. He also served as Vice-President and Treasurer for the N.E. Iowa Peace Officers Association, and was one of the founding members of the Cedar Falls Golf Association, serving as President and assisting in the building of the Pheasant Ridge club-house addition. He also served as Vice-President of the Cedar Falls Bar Owners Association. While serving with the Cedar Falls Police Department he worked as a patrol officer and later became head of the juvenile division of the investigation unit, acting as liaison officer to all of the Cedar Falls Schools. Terry was awarded the Distinguished Service Award for his meritorious contribution to the City of Cedar Falls.]

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

12th and Division Streets
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 273-8628

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

DEC 2. 12:30 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3525
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ Terry, always had a smile and an opinion he was glad to share. I met Terry thorough Connie who I worked with at Pioneer for more than thirty years.
I am sure they are together again in heaven smiling down on all of us.

Terry McGee

Terry McGee - December 01, 2021 at 08:59 PM

AS

“ My sympathy to Mavis on the loss of her brother. We were neighbors in She'll Rock in that time of Terry's wonderful time of growing up. Our parents had a code to look out for each other's kids. Great times on bikes and ball games in the middle of the street. Terry always had the good athletes on his team. Terry had wonderful parents so full of fun and helpful to our family.
Condolences to his children that I only know through their Grandma Virginia that I saw often when my mom Elizabeth Turner was alive.
We are gone Wed. At time of visitation. Would love to talk with Mavis. 319 215 0571. ARLYCE and AL SCHROEDER

Arlyce Schroeder - November 30, 2021 at 05:33 PM

BW

“ Wink, you were a SPECIAL friend. Like you said in your obituary-- Shell Rock was a great place--playing baseball, riding our bikes to Waverly and just having good, clean fun! You will be missed and I know you're seeing mom, dad, Connie and all the many family and friends departed. While you're pitching baseball--do it like ya did in Shell Rock days--Strike'em Out!! Love ya and miss ya! Bob Wiley

Bob Wiley - November 30, 2021 at 11:34 AM

BK

“Wow. I am totally blown away about the passing of my good friend Terry. We lost track of each other over the years, but it doesn't diminish the deep brotherhood we shared after meeting through the Cedar Falls Police Department first back in the fall of 1972. I was a student at then Hawkeye Community College, and was hired as a part-time Cadet, worked Tuesday through Saturday evenings, and often was paired with Terry on 3rd shift. Trust me, back then Officers were very territorial, and often didn't like ride-alongs, but he put up with me, and I learned so much from him. Then, in 1974 I was hired full time, served 34 years, and for the first few years, he was a member of the Detective Unit. Yes, I wanted his job, and eventually made my way to the Unit. Terry, I owe so much to you. I don't think of you often, but still do. Usually it's you in uniform with your cap pulled down with the brim almost covering your eyes, you standing erect like a soldier, flashlight in hand, mumbling to traffic in the dark at an accident ... "MOVE ALONG D****T."

Bob Kramer - November 30, 2021 at 10:51 AM

JW

“It is heartbreaking to know that we have lost one of the really great guys.
We will all have such wonderful memories to look back on.
With Deepest Sympathy,
Jeanne and Steve Wiant

Jeanne Wiant - November 29, 2021 at 12:00 PM

JS

I just got reacquainted with him last summer, when Jeanne was back here. I grew up mostly in Shell Rock, then moved on to New Hartford and Parkersburg. I can say Terry is now back with Connie, just where he wants to be.

With Sympathy
JAN and Mark Sawyer

Jan sawyer - November 29, 2021 at 01:16 PM

CK

*My deepest sympathy and prayers for the family, RIP Terry
Captain Dan Krutsinger, Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office (retired)*

Capt Dan Krutsinger - November 30, 2021 at 10:07 AM

DZ

*Had the opportunity to work with Terry in the Detective Unit at CFPD.
Enjoyed our years together. Rest well my friend.*

David Zarifis - November 30, 2021 at 09:43 PM

LL

My memories of Terry must include his "better half" Connie and all the fun things we did together as couples and families. Never having lots of money to go out, we had many fun parties in our basements, singing, dancing, having a drink or two and just enjoying our friendships. Also spent lots of time at our cabins close to Shell Rock. Connie, Linda Hanus, Shirley Waddle and I labeled ourselves as "The Fab Four" and enjoyed going out to lunch or cooking for each other. After Connie passed away, we invited Terry to fill that empty chair and he agreed. Lunches were never the same!! We went to nearly every small town in the area to check out their tenderloins and went on many fall road trips to view the beautiful leaves; however we always missed the best times--oh well--we had fun! You will be missed my dear friend! Give Connie a hug for us!!

Lynne Longseth

Lynne E Longseth - December 01, 2021 at 10:09 AM

GH

Dearest Nick and Terry Lynn,

My sincerest condolences on the passing of your father..The memories of growing up with you and your family on West 10th. St., will forever hold a place in my heart..

Greg Hahn

Greg Hahn - December 02, 2021 at 01:47 AM