



Wayne Klocke

November 8, 1944 - March 29, 2025

Wayne George Klocke, age 80, of Dedham, passed away peacefully on Saturday, March 29, 2025, in Carroll. Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 am on Friday, April 4, 2025, at St. Joseph's Church in Dedham. The Celebrant will be Father Patrick Behm assisted by Deacon Louis Meiners. Music will be provided by Cindy Bauer and the St. Joseph's Choir. Joann Klocke will be the Lector. Wayne's grandchildren will serve as Gift Bearers and Gail Hopkins will be the Eucharistic Minister. Casket Bearers are Tom Reid, Connor Reid, Jason Carlson, Jordan Clark, Ryan Kleinpeter and Trevor Tiefenthaler. Military Honors will be conducted by the Dedham American Legion. Private family burial will occur at a later date at St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Visitation is from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursday, April 3, 2025, at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll with a Rosary at 7 p.m. The casket will be moved to the church for additional visitation on Friday morning from 9 a.m. until 9:45 a.m.

Services are under the guidance of Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll and online condolences for Wayne's family may be left at www.sharpfuneral.com. Memorials may be left at the Sharp Funeral Home or the church for future designation.

Raised in Dedham, Wayne was born on November 8, 1946, to Clem and Elizabeth Klocke.

On July 9, 1966, Wayne married Carol Hannasch, with whom he shared a loving life. Together, they raised four children: Scott, Lynne, Todd, and Robyn. Wayne was a proud veteran of the Army Reserves and lived a life filled with diverse careers, such as a farmer and a groundskeeper for St. Joseph's Parish.

He is survived by his wife Carol; his children Scott (Kari) Klocke of Carroll, Lynne (Tom) Reid of Ames, Todd (KT) Klocke of Altoona, and Robyn (Jason) Carlson of Pilot Mound; 11 grandchildren: Kelsi, Brittany, Meghan, Connor, Elizabeth, Cayden, Coehen, Sophia, Truett, Noel, Jameson; and two great-grandchildren: Colter Wayne and Wyatt; and brothers and brother-in-law: Jerry (Betty) Klocke, Jim (Louann) Klocke, Ronnie Klocke, and Ron (Diane) Hannasch and sisters and sister-in-law: Sharon (Eldon) Wright, Marlene (Jim) Wille, Joan Hannasch, Pat Klocke and Donna Klocke.

Preceding him in death are his parents Clem and Elizabeth (Wiskus) Klocke; parents-in-law Bill and Addie (Schlerman) Hannasch; siblings and in-laws Jessie & Arnold Fast, Maxine & Gene McFarland, Helen & Roy Knobbe & Delbert Johnson, Lorraine & Bill Gettler, Frances & Norman Phipps & Neil Whisnat, Louise & Earl Costello, Donna & Ken Lowe, Lambert Klocke, LeRoy & Janice Klocke, Joleen Klocke, Larry Klocke, and Dale Hannasch.

Dad or Papa to his many grandkids and great grandchildren, was a man full of life with stories that were colored by his many life experiences. He belonged to a very extraordinary family, not only for their size, but for their close relationships with each other. This is where Dad formed the most important value for his life, that family is everything. It was important to him that every one of his kids and grandkids knew that he loved them and that he was

always there for them.

Dad could strike up a conversation with anyone he came across, and never met a stranger. His neighbors, family, and friends, knew they could call him for help and he would drop everything to come over. He loved to spend his time playing the 3-13 card game with his family, going for his daily cards and coffee and always had time for one more cup.

During his retirement, Dad took pride in mowing the lawn for the St. Joseph's church and for the town of Dedham. Making sure it looked perfect for Memorial Day. He loved to spend time with his grandkids/great grandchildren who filled his life with joy. Most importantly, his wife was the love of his life for 58 years. Their marriage and the fact that they were truly best friends, gave us kids an example of the foundation needed to have a strong and loving marriage.

We will miss our Dad/Papa, but know that he is in a better place and will always be watching over us, being our support from above. We will always love you, Dad.

Tribute Wall

EE

“ Wayne, you brought light and laughter to not only Carol but all those she attended to at the Free Clinic. You especially brought joy to the children who came with their parents, providing laughs, toys and candy. Your enduring presence will be heartfully missed. Peace to all. Ed.

Edwin Earl Eberlein - April 03, 2025 at 12:01 PM



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

April 02, 2025 at 12:28 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Wayne Klocke.



April 02, 2025 at 12:28 PM

IR

“ Irlbeck purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Wayne Klocke.



Irlbeck - April 02, 2025 at 08:30 AM

LP

“ Lois P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wayne Klocke.

Lois P. - April 01, 2025 at 11:52 AM

LP

“ Lois P. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Wayne Klocke.



Lois P. - April 01, 2025 at 11:52 AM

DW

“ Denny Wiederien lit a candle in memory of Wayne Klocke



Denny Wiederien - April 01, 2025 at 12:10 AM

DW

It Was Always A Pleasure To To Chat With Wayne At The Daily Card Games At McDonalds ,Gonna Miss The Ole Boy ,,, Rest In Eternal Peace Above ,,

Denny Wiederien - April 01, 2025 at 12:13 AM

SP

“ Sheryl Puderbaugh planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wayne Klocke.

Sheryl Puderbaugh - March 31, 2025 at 05:13 PM

SP

“ Sheryl Puderbaugh purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Wayne Klocke.



Sheryl Puderbaugh - March 31, 2025 at 05:13 PM



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

March 31, 2025 at 03:11 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Wayne Klocke.



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

March 31, 2025 at 02:42 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Wayne Klocke.



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DV

“ *Our sympathy to Carol and family on the loss of your husband and father.*

Denny and Marilyn Vonnahme - March 30, 2025 at 09:13 PM

NG

“ *So sorry to hear. Wayne always wanted to lend a helping hand. Sorry for your loss*

Nancy GEIGER - March 30, 2025 at 08:25 AM