



Darl F Gerber

April 29, 1941 - November 12, 2023

Darl F. Gerber, age 82, of Upper Sandusky, passed away on Sunday, November 12, 2023, at Wyandot County Skilled Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. He was born on April 29, 1941, in Upper Sandusky to Karl and Regina (Koehler) Gerber. He married Lynn (Hunter) Gerber on October 7, 1961.

Along with his wife Lynn, surviving is a daughter Laura Gerber, Columbus, OH; sons Adam (Ardelle) Gerber, Lake Forest, IL; Gregg (Charlotte) Gerber, Cameron, NY; and Eric Gerber, Upper Sandusky; five grandchildren: Emily (ShaJuan) Gerber Grace, Jessica Gerber, Niklaus Gerber, Yvette Gerber, and Eamon Gerber; sisters Barbara (Lynn) Gottfried and Elizabeth (Richard) Carroll; and sisters-in-law Jane Hunter and Ann Senff. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother Dennis Gerber.

Darl graduated from Upper Sandusky High School in 1959. He attended Capital University and received a Bachelor of Science degree. For most of his career, Darl served as Senior Quality Control Engineer at the Autolite Spark Plug Facility in Fostoria. Darl had a very inventive and creative mind and loved to design and develop new things, as well as create new ways of doing old things. After retirement he devoted months to refurbishing the Star Theater, as well as working on projects at the Elks BPOE #83. He also enjoyed working on his lawn and doing home remodeling. Darl

always had a project.

He was a Board Member at the Star Theater and was a lifetime member of the Elks. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, where he was an elder, choir member, and youth Sunday school teacher for many years. He created lights for the church windows for the Christmas Eve midnight service, always enlisting at least one son to help no matter the weather conditions. Darl loved attending his children's activities and sports, and he was an avid fan of sports in general. He loved to golf, especially the trips "down south" with "the guys."

Family will receive friends on Friday, November 24, 2023, from 10 a.m. until 12:00 noon at Bringman Clark Funeral Home. A memorial service will be held at noon at the funeral home with Rev. Kenneth Wessler officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to The First Presbyterian Church or to the Star Theater in care of Bringman Clark Funeral Home, 226 E Wyandot Ave, Upper Sandusky, OH 43351. Visit www.BringmanClark.com to view the Life Tribute, send condolence or share a memory.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

13623 Co Hwy 119
Upper Sandusky, OH 43351

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **24**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bringman-Clark Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *Bringman - Clark & Co Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Darl F Gerber*



Bringman Clark & Shields Funeral Homes - November 20, 2023 at 11:42 AM

RS

“ *My Mom and I want to send our condolences to all of the family members. We are saddened by the loss of Darl. I have nothing but great memories of the time I got to spend with Uncle Darl. He always made us feel welcome and would spend time with us. One memory that really stands out was a trip to the trailer. He took David and Grethen and I out on the pond in a rowboat. We each had a net and Uncle Darl would row wherever there was a turtle head sticking up and we would catch them with are nets and put them into the boat. Grethen would go after the turtles in the boat and Uncle Darl would tell her to leave the turtles alone. He finally lost his patience with her and picked her up and threw her into the pond. She sank like a rock and David and I were worried that she would drown. After awhile she came to the surface sputtering and spitting and swam to the shore.*

*We will miss him.
Ann and Butch Senff*

Richard Leroy Senff - November 28, 2023 at 05:35 PM

BE

“ *I will miss you Uncle. Here's to the day I will see you again. I'm sorry I couldn't be there but my heart has been with you all in prayer.* ”

Becca - November 25, 2023 at 08:49 PM

BA

“ *Barry lit a candle in memory of Darl F Gerber* ”



barry - November 24, 2023 at 09:27 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Darl F Gerber.* ”

November 23, 2023 at 11:30 AM

CH

“ To Darl’s family,

Our hearts go out to you at this time. We remember Darl as an enthusiastic and gracious host and an amazing grandfather. He was always ready to share his latest projects with us all. We have lovely memories of our visits with in Ohio. You both always made us feel truly like part of the family. Our memories of fun times shared over Christmases, meeting in Yellowstone and Bigfork, will always be with us.

As Adam wrote to us, "Darl is at peace" now after such a long illness, and we know he will be missed so very much. His memory will stay as a cherished place in your hearts. That is “the light that remains”.

With much love and prayers,

Chris and Francine Hagar

Chris & Francine Hagar - November 21, 2023 at 11:43 AM



“ 31 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Bringman Clark & Shields Funeral Homes - November 20, 2023 at 11:39 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Darl F Gerber.*



November 19, 2023 at 11:52 AM



“ *Rex & Laurel Littrell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Darl F Gerber.*

Rex & Laurel Littrell - November 19, 2023 at 11:52 AM



“ *Ulmer & Berne LLP purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Darl F Gerber.*



Ulmer & Berne LLP - November 17, 2023 at 02:06 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Darl F Gerber.*



November 17, 2023 at 01:00 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of
Darl F Gerber.*



November 17, 2023 at 12:30 PM