



## Clem M. Grover

August 25, 1941 - March 25, 2020

Clemmett “Clem” Grover, age 78, of DeMotte, passed away on March 25, 2020 at Methodist Hospital Southlake. He was born August 25, 1941, in Park Rapids, Minnesota, the son of Charles M. & Henrietta E. (Petersen) Grover.

Clem attended Jackson High School in Minnesota, Class of 1959 and went on to trade school for bricklaying. He married Marlene “Molly” Nasby on May 19, 1962 in Jackson, MN and she survives. Clem was co-owner of DeMotte Masonry, Inc. for over 35 years. He was a member at Faith Lutheran for many years but most recently attended Grace Fellowship church. Clem was a member of the Bricklayers Union Local 6, NSTR, Pheasants Forever, and Ducks Unlimited. He enjoyed trap shooting, hunting quail, pheasant, and deer, riding horses, spending time with his family, and watching Chicago Cubs games with his wife.

Clem is survived by his wife: Molly Grover of DeMotte, IN; children: Mary (Larry) Belstra of DeMotte, IN; Jane (Ronald) Jones of DeMotte, IN; Gary (Valerie) Grover of Wheatfield, IN; 7 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; siblings: Beth (James) Graves, Pamela (Roger) Ringkob, Mark (Melvine) Grover, and Kevin Grover.

Clem is preceded in death by his parents; step-mother, Lucille Grover; and dear friends, Don Sytsma & Gino Capellari.

Due to current health concerns a private graveside service was held at Faith Lutheran Cemetery and a memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Faith Lutheran Cemetery

4VH7+W96 Kniman, Indiana  
Kniman, IN 46392

# Events

**Details are pending.**

# Tribute Wall

TO

“ I was 14 years old when I met Mr. Clem through my grandfather Don Frunk which has been 24 years ago now. I remember clear as day what Clem said, little did I know his humour and wit.... He shook my hand and said "I'd rather shake your hand than pick up a \$50 bill." Typical Clem wit/humour at all times.... I don't know what more can be said about Clem that those who knew him already know, you could use every positive adjective to apply to him, but I'll just say he'll be missed by many as he was truly one of the best of a person could strive to be in life.

*Rest Easy Mr. Clem*

*~Tim O'Hara and Corey Anderson*



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**Tim O'Hara** - April 02, 2020 at 11:32 AM

BS

“ Dear Molly, Jane as the rest of your family. I a. So sorry for your loss. I always picture Clem with a smile. May that smile remain in your hearts.

*Bonnie and Jim Sparks*

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**Bonnie Sparks** - April 01, 2020 at 02:19 PM

LM

“ Our prayers are with the Grover Family. We are sorry for your loss. I will never forget and often tell how tickled Clem got about our airboat ride/photos in Florida and his play by play of Dan's run. You will be missed.

*Brian and (Brian's Wife) Lisette McConnell*

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**Lisette McConnell** - April 01, 2020 at 01:05 PM

DM

“ Played many a fun round of golf with Clem & Friends. He truly will be missed.

*An old golfing friend.*

*Dean*

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**Dean Morin** - March 30, 2020 at 04:25 PM

DG

“ Clem will be missed by all , I,ve known Clem for 26 years, from Iroquois river pheasants forever chapter. You and family are in our prayers, Doug Gerbracht

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**Doug Gerbracht** - March 30, 2020 at 02:27 PM

PZ

“ So sorry for your loss. We are praying for peace for the family.  
*Pete and Gayle Zeldenrust*

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**Pete and Gayle Zeldenrust** - March 29, 2020 at 05:12 PM

DR

“ Molly, you and your family are in my prayers. I always enjoyed Clem coming into CVS. Anytime I waited on him, we always shared a laugh about one thing or another.



Debbie Rose - March 29, 2020 at 12:49 PM

DW

“ Never met the man, but I know Beth, so he must of been a great guy! Love and hugs to you and your family!!

Donna Wolf - March 29, 2020 at 12:30 PM



“ Sandra Goodman-Griffith lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover



Sandra Goodman-Griffith - March 29, 2020 at 10:28 AM

SP

“ Sherron Pampalone lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover



Sherron Pampalone - March 28, 2020 at 09:08 PM

SP

*With the utmost sympathy , we send our sad regrets on the passing of dear Clem. He will be missed by so very many. But Molly, never forget, I knew YOU first!*

Sherron Pampalone - March 28, 2020 at 09:10 PM

SP

“ 7 files added to the album Memories Album



Sherron Pampalone - March 28, 2020 at 09:03 PM

SP

*A great hunting day with dear friends, photos by Johnathan Crawford. Dearest Clem, you were one in million! You are already missed!*

Sherron Pampalone - March 28, 2020 at 09:05 PM

GJ

“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Gordie Jones - March 28, 2020 at 07:59 PM

DS

“ Our deepest sympathy to the family. Clem was such a wonderful man. You can certainly tell it by his wonderful family that he has left behind. Jeff said he will always remember Clem teaching his confirmation class in the old church in the boiler room in the basement. Keeping you all in our prayers.



debbie schultz - March 28, 2020 at 02:53 PM

BT

“ Barb Timpe lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover



Barb Timpe - March 28, 2020 at 12:58 PM

SM

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



sara moore - March 28, 2020 at 12:09 PM

PR

Awesome picture of my brother!!!

Pamela K. Ringkob - March 28, 2020 at 11:31 PM

PG

*Who ever posted this picture, I would pay to have a copy of it. Just toooooo awesome 🙌 for words!!!*

**Pamela K. Grover Riggob** - April 02, 2020 at 03:27 PM

RM

*I totally love this pic of Clem. He was so kind hearted and I will always remember his wonderful smile and laugh! When young as cousins, we did get into some mischief now and then. I was soooo very happy that he married the cutest, nicest and pretty classmate of mine as I knew they would have a great life together. Will miss ya on FB!  
Roberta Milbrandt*

**Roberta Milbrandt** - April 03, 2020 at 04:54 PM

DS

“ *Dan And Kathryn Sytsma lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover*



**Dan and Kathryn Sytsma** - March 28, 2020 at 11:30 AM

RL

“ *Ron And Loretta lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover*



**Ron and Loretta** - March 28, 2020 at 09:20 AM

RS

“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



regina sanders - March 28, 2020 at 08:49 AM



Always remembered his big smile and laugh! He was always upbeat.

Roberta Milbrandt - March 29, 2020 at 12:11 PM

KH

“ Sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for comfort to all of you.  
Warren and Karen Hamstra.

karen hamstra - March 28, 2020 at 08:45 AM

KW

“ Kevin Whitaker lit a candle in memory of  
Clem M. Grover



Kevin Whitaker - March 28, 2020 at 08:45 AM

RS

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



regina sanders - March 28, 2020 at 07:33 AM

KB

“ So sorry for your loss!! Clem was always such a sweet man. So many good memories growing up with the Mann family and the Grover's. Clem and his laugh and those beautiful eyes that that he handed down to all his wonderful kids! Our prayers and condolences from all the Ron/Nancy Martin family.  
*Karen Martin Bachman*

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**Karen Martin Bachman** - March 28, 2020 at 05:31 AM

BH

“ *Brenda Honn lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover*



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**Brenda Honn** - March 28, 2020 at 01:37 AM

DV

“ *Dave & Val VanderWall lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover*



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**Dave & Val VanderWall** - March 27, 2020 at 10:13 PM

PM

“ i will so miss Clem...He was one of the nicest people to play golf with I ve ever known. So enjoyed his hunting stories about our county and his special friendships with some of my personal friends...I will miss our chats...When the talk turned to home things he always mentioned how much he loved his Wife...I always that that was so special...

*Phil McGraw....the judge...*

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**phil mcgraw** - March 27, 2020 at 09:30 PM

 Emma Martin

“ Clem was an awesome man. He was a great friend to my grandma and I that lived across the street. We never had to wonder if we were loved! Grandma and I miss you and know you are sitting right next to Jesus in an open field with all the animals around :)

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**Emma Martin** - March 27, 2020 at 09:02 PM

RR

“ Richard And Nancy Rhoades lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover



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**Richard and Nancy Rhoades** - March 27, 2020 at 08:15 PM

RB

“ Clem will be sadly missed. He was a great neighbor and friend. Happy hunting in the Promised Land Clem!  
*Rick & Kim Byers*

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**Rick & Kim Byers** - March 27, 2020 at 07:17 PM

FG

“ I grew up being neighbors with the Grovers. Baby sat there kids. Hung out at there house because Molly was good to us. We just lost an upstanding man. Wonderful husband father an grandpa. That you God for letting are paths cross here on earth. Prayers for the family

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**Fran Goad** - March 27, 2020 at 04:21 PM

ML

“ Martha Langley lit a candle in memory of Clem M. Grover



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**Martha Langley** - March 27, 2020 at 04:20 PM

RV

“ I was saddened to hear of the loss of Clem. He was always good to me. Though I hadn't seen him often in the past few years I enjoyed his company and sharing hunting stories when I did see him. His sense of humor and stories will be missed greatly.

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**Rob VanHoose** - March 27, 2020 at 03:02 PM

KS

Sadden by the loss of this wonderful man. May he rest in peace in God's Kingdom

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**Kathryn Sytsma** - March 27, 2020 at 03:41 PM

RS

Thank you for such great/fun memories. There was always a lot of laughter when we would get together. You will be greatly missed. We are blessed to call you our friend. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Molly and your family.

Gary and Regina Sanders

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**regina sanders** - March 27, 2020 at 04:58 PM

RO

*I learned a lot from this man about birds, dogs, guns and life. You'll be missed by many. RIP buddy...*

**Roby** - March 27, 2020 at 05:53 PM

BR

*Prayers to the family in this a very hard time in your lives, Clem was a good man , May God shine his light on you and give you peace.  
Ron and Bev Rader*

**Beverly Rader** - March 27, 2020 at 06:46 PM

 Lisa Goodman

*So sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to the whole Grover Family. Ray and Lisa Goodman*

**Lisa Goodman** - March 27, 2020 at 06:55 PM

JA

*Thinking of the family. My prayers are with you.  
Janene Sanders Anderson*

**Janene Sanders Anderson** - March 27, 2020 at 06:57 PM



*What a great neighbor and golfing friend. We will miss greatly!*

**Catie Cavanaugh** - March 27, 2020 at 10:17 PM

RL

*Sorry for your loss.*

**Ron and Loretta** - March 28, 2020 at 09:22 AM

TL

*I'm shocked to hear of Clem's passing. I just talked to Clem a couple of weeks ago. We were cutting up about bird dogs and memories of past. He was a wonderful friend. I was introduced through a friend [Bill J.] of mine to Clem. I was an aspiring bird hunter and needed a good dog. Clem was the man to talk to. My first couple of dogs came from Clem's breeding program. That was forty some years ago. I had the pleasure of hunting a couple of times with Clem and enjoying a round of golf or two also. He was always a pleasure to be around. Over the years, I would call Clem for advice on dogs and he always was a big help. Clem had a profound impact on my life, my dogs and my hunting days. To his family, I am very very sorry for your loss. They say that when you pass on to your next life, all your family and dogs will be there to greet you, If that be the case, then Clem will be surrounded by his family and a lot of great trial dogs that he developed and enjoyed.*

*RIP Buddy! See you on the other side!*

*Tom Lernihan  
Fredericksburg, Va.*

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**Thomas Lernihan** - March 28, 2020 at 09:37 AM

JL

*Clem was a cousin I didn't get to see often enough. Always was so happy when our times in Park Rapids were the same. Love and prayers are being sent to Molly and the family. I loved reading all the tributes.*

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**Judy Grover Lewis** - March 28, 2020 at 11:07 AM

BY

*i was just informed of clem's passing, i had great admiration for clem, he was the real deal.what ever he told me i could take it to the bank.he was an honest trust worthy man with a great sense of humor. we field trialed together for many years and had often shared many times talking about great bird dogs,new hunting spots, and our next pup that could win it all! my deepest sympathy goes out to his wonderful family. he will be in my prayers! wild Bill Y.*

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**bill yacktman** - March 28, 2020 at 08:32 PM

CF

*Clem was a Man who made This World a Better Place.  
So full of Love, Laughter and Friendship.  
He will be dearly missed.  
~ Dr. Ben Carpenter Family*

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**Carpenter Family** - April 03, 2020 at 12:18 PM