



## Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.

December 12, 1938 - July 6, 2019

Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr., age 80 of Glendive, Montana passed away on Saturday, July 6, 2019 at the Prairie Community Hospital in Terry, Montana after a brief fight with cancer. Memorial services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, July 20, 2019 at Zion Lutheran Church with Pastor Avis Anderson officiating with lunch to follow at the Moose Lodge. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

He was born on December 12, 1938 to Jacob and Viola (Bastrom) Buxbaum. He grew up on the farm on Cracker Box Route and attended Yale Country School and went on to attend DCHS in Glendive.

He met the love of his life, Beverly Beyl, and they were married on June 16, 1957. To this union three children were born: Donald, Lory and Kelly.

He worked briefly for Daniels Plumbing and then went on to farm for 50 years until he sold out in 2000. He remained on the farm but then went to work for Buffalo Rapids Irrigation for several years and also Holly Sugar.

He was a member of the Moose, Jaycees and served on the ASC Board and Buffalo Rapids Board.

His greatest achievement is when he was awarded Outstanding Farmer of the Year during his lifetime.

He had a love of rebuilding antique tractors and restored several. He had quite the collection and loved driving them in parades. He also loved collecting toy tractors and several hundred lined the shelves in his workshop.

He was instrumental in forming the first Eastern Montana Tractor Pulls and

was active in that for years.

He is survived by his wife, Beverly who is in the Terry Nursing Home; sons, Donald (Sharon Lemley) of Phoenix, Ariz. and Kelly (Bobbi) of Rapid City, S.D.; daughter, Lory (Duane) Heltemes of Glendive; grandchildren, Dane and Briana Buxbaum of Pheonix, Ariz., Lacy, Skylar and Courtney Jones of Aurora, Colo. and Paige Buxbaum of Ionia, Mich.; one great-grandson, Syrus Jones of Aurora, Colo.; brothers, Jerry (Donna) Buxbaum and Doug (Glenda) Buxbaum of Glendive; sisters, Beverly (Derry) Diegel of Valley City, N.D., Marlene (John) Martinez of Riverton, Wyo., and Janet (Jerry) Sims of Sun Lakes, Ariz.; along with numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jacob and Viola; sister, Shirley Ronshaugen; grandchild, Donald Michael Buxbaum; along with a very special brother-in-law, Bill Gregg of Colstrip.

Memorials and donations can be mailed to 409 Ponderosa Dr., Glendive, MT 59330.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUL **20**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

Zion Lutheran Church  
401 Riverview Avenue  
Glendive, MT 59330

# Tribute Wall



“ Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ Linda Schuler lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.



Linda Schuler - July 25, 2019 at 03:39 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr..



July 19, 2019 at 05:44 PM



“ Thinking of you all with Prayer & friendship. HUGS!!

Mike and Jacky Boje Saur - July 19, 2019 at 12:31 AM

Terry Knapp

“ Terry Knapp lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.



Terry Knapp - July 17, 2019 at 07:41 PM



“ Gerhard Kron lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.



Gerhard Kron - July 16, 2019 at 09:53 PM

MR

“ Marguerite, David, Stephen, Tana, and Darin Rein purchased the Rainbow Reflections Basket for the family of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr..



Marguerite, David, Stephen, Tana, and Darin Rein - July 16, 2019 at 09:33 PM

RM

“ Sorry to hear of the loss of Don. knew him years ago and know he was a great farmer and great man. you are all in our thoughts and prayers. May he rest in peace. God Bless.



Richard Meidinger - July 16, 2019 at 07:53 PM

CB

“ Our condolences to all of Donnie’s family. I have wonderful memories of Donnie and Red Bev growing up. Wonderful couple. May God bless all of you in your time of sorrow.

Cindi and Dennis Byron - July 16, 2019 at 11:10 AM

SD

“ Lory, I am so sorry for your loss. Sending you hugs.

Sherilyn Senner Danielson - July 15, 2019 at 01:50 AM

SB

“ Sharon Bain lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.



Sharon Bain - July 12, 2019 at 03:49 PM

CD

“ Carole J. Diede lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.



Carole J. Diede - July 12, 2019 at 03:33 PM

SB

“ *I used to babysit for Don and Bev. Loved going to visit them when I got older. Will treasure my happy memories. My thoughts and prayers are with you all*



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**Susan Brown** - July 12, 2019 at 01:53 AM

DB

“ *Our condolences go out to the family of Donald Bauxbam. Prayers to all.*



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**Denise Borotrager** - July 12, 2019 at 12:44 AM

LH

“ *To many memories to share. He was my uncle and Godfather and I loved him dearly. When I was young we used to sing Uncle Donnie had a farm eieio instead of Old McDonald. He was always there for me. Oh how I will miss my favorite farmer in the world. Nobody in my mind had a farm as big as his or was a better farmer than him. I love you to the moon and back.*

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**Loni and Buggs Hartman** - July 11, 2019 at 11:35 PM

TH

“ *Sorry for your loss*

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**Tom Hess** - July 11, 2019 at 11:06 PM

LM

“ *Loretta McDanold Miller lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.*



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**Loretta McDanold Miller** - July 11, 2019 at 10:14 PM

TP

“ *Lory,  
Sorry about your loss of your Dad.*

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**Tyler Pust** - July 11, 2019 at 06:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr..*



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July 11, 2019 at 07:49 AM

LF

“ *So sorry for your loss.*



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**Linda Frank** - July 11, 2019 at 06:16 AM

EL

“ *Eula Langton lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.*



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**Eula Langton** - July 10, 2019 at 08:45 PM

CD

“ *Carole J. Diede lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.*



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**Carole J. Diede** - July 10, 2019 at 12:34 PM

EE

“ *We are so sorry for you loss. Lots of memories growing up included the Buxbaum crew. Will keep you all in our thoughts and prayers in the days to come. Hugs to you all.*

*Daren, Erin (Holte), Rowan and Drew Ellingson*

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**Erin Holte Ellingson** - July 10, 2019 at 11:02 AM

LS

“ *LaNette Simonton lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.*



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**LaNette Simonton** - July 09, 2019 at 09:06 AM

LI

“ *Sending prayers to the Buxbaum Family  
Gary and Lynn Ingraham*



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**Lynn Ingraham** - July 08, 2019 at 08:50 PM

DS

“ *Dick Sadorf lit a candle in memory of Donald  
Duane Buxbaum Sr.*



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**Dick Sadorf** - July 08, 2019 at 06:47 PM

RS

“ *Had the pleasure of working with Donnie for 5 yrs.....great times and  
great memories.....will be missed*

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**Richard Siegle** - July 08, 2019 at 04:57 PM

WH

“ *Wayne Haas lit a candle in memory of Donald  
Duane Buxbaum Sr.*



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**Wayne Haas** - July 08, 2019 at 11:41 AM

DB

“ *We are so sorry to hear of your loss.*



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**Dale & Alisa Boehning** - July 08, 2019 at 11:39 AM

DS

“ *Denise Stoddart lit a candle in memory of Donald Duane Buxbaum Sr.*



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**Denise Stoddart** - July 08, 2019 at 12:09 AM