



## Gene Webster Allen

August 23, 1956 - September 2, 2018

Gene W. Allen, age 62, of Beach, North Dakota passed away on Sunday, September 2, 2018 in Beach. Visitation will be held from 1:00 PM until 5:00 PM and 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM on Thursday, September 6, 2018 at the Silha Funeral Home in Beach. A Prayer Service will be held at 7:00 PM on Thursday, September 6, 2018 at the Silha Funeral Home with Pastor Ben Baker officiating. A Funeral Service will be held at 11:00 AM on Friday, September 7, 2018 at the United Community Church with Reverend Warren Maxted officiating. Interment will take place at St. Michael's Cemetery following services. Silha Funeral Home of Beach has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Gene was born on August 23, 1956 to Carl and Margaret (Houck) Allen in Beach. He was raised in Beach and graduated from Beach High School. Gene attended Dickinson State University in North Dakota. While living there, he played baseball and worked for Fargo/Moorhead Ambulance Service. Gene then attended UND to obtain his CPA and Law Degree PLLC. Gene was a lawyer for Lindquist and Vennum PLLP and was the Vice President and Corporate Counsel for Twin City Federal Bank and the Twin City Bank Stadium deal. Gene was also the owner and founder of the Fargo/Moorhead Red Hawks Baseball. In 2010, Gene moved to Minot, North Dakota and worked for McGee Law Office. In 2013, he moved back to Beach and opened his own practice Allen Law Office.

Gene was married to LeAnn Stearns on May 21, 2013 in Minot and that same

year their son, Theodore Ronald Allen, was born. In 2018, Gene retired from practicing law. He was currently the Vice President of Golden Valley Outfitters and the General Manager at the Allen Hotel.

Gene was preceded in death by his parents, Carl and Margaret.

Gene is survived by his wife, LeAnn; his son, Teddy and his cousin, Susie.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: [www.silhafuneralhomes.com](http://www.silhafuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## St. Michael's Cemetery

Sentinel Butte, ND 58654

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 6. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Beach, North Dakota  
125 4th Avenue Southwest  
P.O. Box 488  
Beach, ND 58621  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Gene Webster Allen*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Gene and I worked together at TCF and shared a special rapport as fellow North Dakotans (I am from Williston). I will never forget the evening of the infamous OJ ford bronco police chase, broadcast live on TV. My phone rang and it was Gene saying “do you think he’s guilty?” We then watched the chase to its end. Another fond memory is how we laughed over episodes of Cheers, recalling the punchlines. One of his favorite episodes was where Frasier tries to bring culture to the bar by reading aloud from A Tale of Two Cities and is forced to jazz it up in order to hold their attention. Also not surprised at all that his son is named TR after Gene’s hero. My deepest condolences to the family. I am sorry this is so late but I only learned about it just now.*

diane stockman - June 08, 2019 at 03:34 AM



“ *I am so sorry for the family's loss. When Gene was in Minot with McGee & Backes I had coffee with him at The Fair Building many, many times. He was articulate, thoughtful and darn funny. I would have commented sooner but I had now idea until the announcement showed on the web site today. My deepest condolences and my the Lord Jesus Christ watch, ward, guide and protect his son and wife.*

*Bob martin, Minot ND*

Robert Martin - December 12, 2018 at 04:59 PM

RM

“ So many kind things have been mentioned about Gene. I wanted everyone to know of the great accomplishment Gene did in founding the Fargo-Moorhead Redhawks in the mid-1990s. It was his dream and his persistence that this team exist. For over 20-years, fifty summer days a year, 3,000 to 5,000 people have a great time. At every game I go to, I will always remember but for Gene there would be no Redhawks team bringing such joy. He was a great and loyal friend. What great memories to share with young TR of his father.

*Gene's Friend,  
Ron McLean*

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**Ronald McLean** - September 07, 2018 at 04:52 PM

EM

“ I remember when Gene and LeAnn started coming to the Medora church during the summer they were married and when Teddy was a baby. It was always great to see his smiling face! He was always generous with his expertise and was kind enough to review our church status to be sure everything was in order. We will miss you, Gene! We look forward to seeing LeAnn and Teddy during the summer months again next year!

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**Esther Myers** - September 06, 2018 at 07:51 PM

EM

“ Esther Myers purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Gene Webster Allen.



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**Esther Myers** - September 06, 2018 at 04:20 PM

TS

“ Dear LeAnn and Family- We are so very sorry to hear of your loss. Thoughts and prayers to you and Teddy.  
Love,  
Chris and Tina Schulz family

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tina schulz - September 06, 2018 at 12:20 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Gene Webster Allen.



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September 06, 2018 at 10:47 AM

JH

“ My deepest sympathy to Gene's family and friends. He was a wonderful friend throughout the years. Sending prayers and blessings,  
Jayne Hardy



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Jayne Hardy - September 06, 2018 at 08:37 AM

LS

“ I will miss seeing him at school. He was a devoted dad to his son. My heart breaks for his family. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.

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lynn swanson - September 05, 2018 at 09:08 PM

CR

“ *Cindy Rubin purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Gene Webster Allen.*



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**Cindy Rubin** - September 05, 2018 at 07:31 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Gene Webster Allen.*



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September 05, 2018 at 01:36 PM

DF

“ *Dean Stearns and family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Gene Webster Allen.*



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**Dean Stearns and family** - September 05, 2018 at 12:39 PM

DK

“ Upon learning of Gene's demise, my first thought was that it had to be a mistake. He was so full of life; a man who returned to his home town with ambitious plans for himself and his family. He became engrossed in not only business but the welfare of the community in politics and civic affairs. He recently accomplished some legal tasks for me. I was impressed with the level of expertise of his efforts . Gene was an accommodating, personable and thoroughly likable man. My condolences to the family . I have lost a friend and our community has lost an invaluable asset.

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**Dick Kukowski** - September 05, 2018 at 11:43 AM

KF

“ Karen and Max Klarer and family purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Gene Webster Allen.



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**Karen and Max Klarer and family** - September 05, 2018 at 10:51 AM

BB

“ I only met Gene once on a to quick stop by. He was so kind and gentle and made us feel very welcome. You could tell he really loved his family. I am so sorry for your loss LeAnn. Know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Love to you all. Barb Brown

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**barb brown** - September 05, 2018 at 10:11 AM

SM

“ I met Gene (he will always be HG, to me) while visiting LeAnn in Beach. I was immediately struck by his sense of community, political prowess and, above all, his love of his family. In this, Gene devoted himself. My friend, LeAnn, has never been happier or more satisfied, as she was after meeting Gene. They truly loved and respected each other. I am sorry for the Allen Family’s loss. Gene will be greatly missed.

Siobhan Mullen - September 05, 2018 at 09:29 AM



“ Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Gene Webster Allen.



September 05, 2018 at 09:22 AM

DN

“ So sudden and so fast. We are sure that Gene is very happy with the Lord and we pray for him and his family at this time. Marie and Don Nistler

Donald Nistler - September 05, 2018 at 09:22 AM

MR

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Mike Rubin - September 04, 2018 at 07:36 PM

MR

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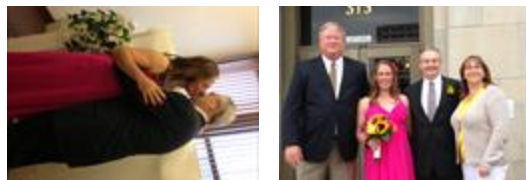


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**Mike Rubin** - September 04, 2018 at 07:33 PM

JB

“ *LeAnn: I posted a picture of your wedding day. Such a great couple. We hope that memories of the good times will comfort you at this difficult time. Always know that Gene was one of the good guys. He was a loyal and true true friend, as good an as anyone could have (and better than some of us deserved). He never hesitated to lend a helping hand, provide and an encouraging word. If something needed to be done, he dug in and got after doing it. He would have given a friend the shirt off his back, even if he had just met that friend that day. He had a unique gift of being able to looking positively toward the future and to keep from dwelling on the past. He is already greatly missed, but I know his spirit will continue to look out for those he cared for. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and Ted at this difficult time.*



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**Jon & Karla Backes** - September 04, 2018 at 06:19 PM

LC

“ *LeAnn, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Jack Cook*

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**Leo J Cook** - September 04, 2018 at 06:09 PM

PA

*LeAnn, Gene was a great cousin. From the time we were little kids till now. His whole life lit up when he met you. You and Teddy were his reason to start the day. He loved you so much. He had a rough go of it for the first part of his life. I'm so glad he had you to make it a happy one. He was dearly loved and will truly be missed. All my love, Pam Allenheringer*

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**Pam Allenheringer** - September 07, 2018 at 12:25 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gene Webster Allen.*



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September 04, 2018 at 05:48 PM