



Randal D. "Randy" Heine

March 17, 1961 - February 10, 2024

Randal D. "Randy" Heine, 62, of Hampshire passed away suddenly early Saturday morning, February 10, 2024, due to a heart attack.

He was born March 17, 1961, in Elgin, the son of Herbert and Florence (Homeyer) Heine. Randy moved to Hampshire when he was 5 and his grandma showed him how to farm. He was a member of the 1979 Class of Hampshire High School. Randy married Jodi Gerlach on August 8, 1998, in Springbrook, Iowa. He was on the board of St. John's United Church of Christ and was a life-long member. Besides farming his whole life, Randy was a volunteer firefighter for 10 years in Hampshire. He loved bowling and Dart ball with friends and had many stories to share from those nights. He loved hosting "church" on Saturday nights and was loved by everyone. Randy would always lend a helping hand to anyone and will be deeply missed by his family and friends.

He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Jodi; his daughters, Meagan of Genoa, Jessie & Kaitlyn of Hampshire; his siblings, Rick (Sue) Heine & Brenda (Steve) Baker both of Hampshire; nieces and nephews, Erin (Jake) Ziller, Andrew (Amy) Heine, Mallory (Dustin) Keenan; his great nieces and nephews, Jeremy & Heston Ziller, Tyler Smith, Karli (Chase) Tucker, & Brody, Sienna, Jax, Cole, and Weston Keenan, his mother-in-law, Carol Gerlach; in-laws, Jeff (Kelly) Gerlach, John Gerlach, Chuck (Basia) Gerlach, Chad (Beth) Gerlach,

Carrie (Josh) Pitts, Shelby (Ben) Harman; and numerous nieces & nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents; his father-in-law, Robert Gerlach; and stepmother, Doris Heine.

In anticipation of a large crowd, the visitation and service are being held at St. John's Lutheran Church in Union.

Services will be held at 2 pm on Friday, Feb. 16th at St John's Lutheran Church, 6821 Main St. in Union. You can watch the livestream by clicking on the photos and videos at the time of service. An additional live stream will be conducted through St Johns Lutheran Church in Union. <https://stjohnsluth.org/livestream/>

Burial will follow in the Hampshire Center Cemetery in Hampshire.

Visitation will be Thursday, February 15th at the church from 2 to 7 pm and will continue Friday prior to services from 1-2 pm.

In lieu of flowers, donations made in Randy's name may be directed to St. John's UCC, 11821 E. Grant Hwy, Hampshire, IL 60140, or the Hampshire Fire Protection Dist.

Cemetery Details

Hampshire Center Cemetery

17N002 Harmony Rd
Hampshire, IL 60140

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **15**. 2:00 AM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. John's Lutheran Church
6821 Main Street
Union, IL 60180

Visitation

FEB **16**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

St. John's Lutheran Church
6821 Main Street
Union, IL 60180

Service

FEB **16**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Fredrick Funeral Home created a Randy Heine Service in memory of Randal D. "Randy" Heine



Fredrick Funeral Home - February 16, 2024 at 08:49 AM

MK

“ Oh Jodi and girls.....I am so sorry to hear of Randy's passing, as I read it this morning in the St. Charles Borromeo bulletin. I will always remember when Jess was in preschool and I came out to the farm to video the piglets and the pigs. You were all so very kind to share the farm with me and the littles at deLacey. I wish you all peace and healing during this most difficult time. Prayers to your family.
Mary Kozenczak (Mrs. K)

Mary Kozenczak - February 18, 2024 at 10:30 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.



February 16, 2024 at 08:50 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.*



February 15, 2024 at 08:08 AM



“ *Love, Olivia Magnussen purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.*



Love, Olivia Magnussen - February 15, 2024 at 12:47 AM



“ *MacKenzie, Wendy, Steve, and Miranda purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.*



MacKenzie, Wendy, Steve, and Miranda - February 14, 2024 at 09:58 PM



“ *MacKenzie, Wendy, Steve, and Miranda planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.*

MacKenzie, Wendy, Steve, and Miranda - February 14, 2024 at 09:58 PM

AP

“ Altorfer Ag Products purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.



Altorfer Ag Products - February 14, 2024 at 03:41 PM

AP

“ Altorfer Ag Products planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.

Altorfer Ag Products - February 14, 2024 at 03:41 PM

TF

“ The Ehlinger family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.



The Ehlinger family - February 14, 2024 at 12:28 AM

TF

“ The Ehlinger family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.

The Ehlinger family - February 14, 2024 at 12:28 AM



“ Sympathy Gift Vintage Wind Chime - "I Have You In My Heart" was purchased for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.



February 13, 2024 at 06:53 PM



“ Eaton family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.

Eaton family - February 13, 2024 at 06:53 PM



“ Burken & Helmle families purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.



Burken & Helmle families - February 13, 2024 at 03:08 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.



February 13, 2024 at 12:50 PM

JF

“ Joe Helmle Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.

Joe Helmle Family - February 13, 2024 at 12:50 PM

DB

“ To the Heine Family: My heart aches for you. I've known Randy since he was a little boy in St, John's. Are memories will always have Randy with us. Most sincerely. Dorthy Becklinger

Dorthy Becklinger - February 13, 2024 at 11:17 AM

JK

“ We are so very sorry to hear of Randy's passing. Randy & his farm was one of Joe's favorite stops for FS sales. Wonderful man. God Bless the Heine family.
Joe & Sandy Konecny

Joe & Sandy Konecny - February 13, 2024 at 09:36 AM

TB

“ The Young's and Cindy and Bill purchased the Memories 44" Sonnet for the family of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.



The Young's and Cindy and Bill - February 13, 2024 at 07:25 AM

TB

“ From: *The Young's and Cindy and Bill* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Randal D. "Randy" Heine.

The Young's and Cindy and Bill - February 13, 2024 at 07:25 AM