



Carl (Bud) Engelbrecht

April 17, 2022

Carl "Bud" Engelbrecht passed away on Easter Sunday, 04/17/2022 in the presence of his "Immediate Family" and "Spiritual Family". Carl, who most people knew as "Bud" or "High-pockets" was born on October 12, 1941 in North Platte, Nebraska. His parents were Carl August Engelbrecht and Wanda (Easton) Engelbrecht. He spent his early childhood in the Ogallala/ North Platte, Nebraska area helping work the family farm. His Family moved to Ft Collins in the late 1940's where he subsequently attended Dunn School, Lincoln Jr High and Ft Collins High School. He Married His High School Sweetheart, Carol Faye (Miller) in October of 1961 and remained married to Carol for the rest of his life. The next 60 years he spent driving Semi Trucks for Hersh Trucking and most recently for his Friend Ray and Kurt Burgener. It's estimated he drove over 8,000,000 miles without an accident. He loved most forms of Auto Racing, especially Open Wheel Racing. The last race he attended was in 2021 at one of his "Bucket List" races, the Knoxville Sprint Car Nationals. He was preceded in death by his parents Carl and Wanda and Sister Julie(Judy). He is survived by and will be dearly missed by his Wife Carol, Sisters, Linda and Debbie, Brother Jerry, Sons and Daughters in Law, Jeff & Kristy Engelbrecht , Greg & Shelly Engelbrecht. Son, Todd Engelbrecht & Daughter & Son in Law, Jill Carroll and Dake Carroll. He is also survived by 8 Grand Children and 2 Great GrandChildren.

A Life Celebration will be held at Timberline Church, 2908 South Timberline

Road, Fort Collins, CO.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUN 11. 10:00 AM (MT)

Timberline Church - Fort Collins Main Campus
2908 S Timberline Road
Fort Collins, CO 80525

Tribute Wall



“ *Carl (Bud) Engelbrecht*

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *I had posted, I don't know why it isn't here. I saw Bud Is at Dad's funeral in 2004. I saw him with my Dad a lot. They both worked for Hearsh Trucking and we all lived in wood west. Late 70's . My Dad thought the world of Bud, he was a good friend. He was a good man no question. He made my Dad happy, that made me happy. My heart is with you and your all in my thoughts. Rhonda Cain*



Rhonda Cain - May 06, 2022 at 09:08 AM



“ *I have many memories of Bud, he and my Dad were always enjoying each other's company, so my memories are of two great friends laughing and looking as content as can be. Bud was without a doubt the best friend my Dad had, closest for sure. He was mild mannered, never seemed to have life get him down. It's all about the trucks, cars, motors. I am regretting not visiting. Carol, Jeff, Greg, Todd and the pretty young daughter whom I never got to know, your all in my thoughts and my heart.*

Rhonda Cain

Rhonda Cain - May 06, 2022 at 08:25 AM