



Maurice Samuel Closs

January 1, 1922 - November 16, 2012

Maurice “Morrie” Closs, 90 year old loving husband, father, grandfather, & great-grandfather, passed away Friday, November 16th at Parkwood Estates in Fort Collins, CO.

Maurice Samuel Closs born January 1, 1922 to Roger and Helen (Delaney) Closs in McCook, NE. The oldest of four children, he served in the U.S. Navy as a naval radar operator, retiring after 20 years. He was united in marriage to Helen Smith on August 22, 1963 at the First Methodist Church, Boulder, CO where he raised his family and was employed by the City Water Department for 20 years.

Morrie is survived by his Wife, Helen of Ft. Collins; Daughter and Son, Kim (Kent) Walkenhorst of Ft. Collins and John (Janet) Closs of Lone Tree, CO; grandchildren, Ashley (Kalen) Mauldin of New Castle, CO, Whitney Walkenhorst of Ft. Collins, Lauren and Matthew Closs of Lone Tree; great-granddaughter, Ava Mauldin of New Castle; a brother, Roger (Nancy) Closs, Jr. of Tucson, AZ; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, R. William Closs; and sister, Jean Trout.

Maurice will be greatly missed by all that knew him. A service in celebration of his life will be held at 2:00 pm Saturday, Nov. 24th at the Lincoln Center, Columbine Room, 417 East Magnolia St., Ft. Collins. In lieu of flowers,

donations may be made to the Wymore, NE Volunteer Fire and Rescue Dept.,
c/o Goes Funeral Care, 3665 Canal Dr., Suite E, Fort Collins, CO 80524.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

NOV **24**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (MT)

Lincoln Center
417 West Magnolia Street
Fort Collins, CO 80521

Tribute Wall



“ *Maurice Samuel Closs*

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *The first word that comes to mind when I think of Morrie is awesome. He was just so much fun to be around. We always felt like we were a part of the family when we went to Helen and Morrie's for a meal or to hang out. One of our CU memories is getting to see Morrie at the CU football games. I think he loved working those games and seating people. I'm sure he got a kick out of the students and their antics. His "Oh Helen" response always brought a smile, which occasionally had to be hid behind a hand. Morrie will be missed but he will certainly always have a place in our hearts. Blessings, and our prayers go out to his family, Jim and Mary Jane Armstrong*



Mary Jane Armstrong - November 24, 2012 at 09:19 AM



“ *My memories of Uncle Morrie are so special. Our family times in Wymore and Boulder were always the highlight of my summers! There will always be a great love for our sweet "Uncle Morrie Drawers" and family. I so wish I could be there with you all, but you are in my thoughts, prayers and heart. Love, Nancy Trout Mellon*

Nancy Mellon - November 21, 2012 at 08:58 AM

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*I to remember the Summers of my childhood and traveling back to Nebraska and Colorado to spend Great times with Uncle Morrie and family. I will cherish the memories of the all the time that I spent with Morrie. Kim and family you are in my thoughts and prayers. Love,
Corky Trout*

Corky Trout - November 24, 2012 at 10:18 AM