

# Living Life

Life is not a race - but indeed a journey.

Be Honest. Work Hard. Be Choosy.

Say "thank you" and "great job" to someone each day.

Go to church, take time for prayer.

The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh.

Let your handshake mean more than pen and paper.

Love your life and what you've been given,  
it is not accidental search for your purpose  
and do it as best you can. Dreaming does matter.  
It allows you to become that which you inspire to be.

Laugh often.

Appreciate the little things in life and enjoy them.

Some of the best things really are free.

Do not worry, less wrinkles are more becoming.

Forgive, it frees the soul.

Take time for yourself – plan for longevity.

Recognize the special people  
you've been blessed to know.

Live for today, enjoy the moment.



GUS SCHLAMP  
1938 – 2020

8/2/20

Mr. Gus Schlamp passed away unexpectedly but peacefully at the Cypress Regional Hospital on September 15, 2020.

He was born on February 25, 1938 near Rosenhof into a family of what would be 13 siblings.

He married Marge Kroeker, with whom he raised three sons, on September 18, 1960, and they would have celebrated 60 years of marriage just two days ago. Together, hard work, integrity and Godly values were the building blocks of what would be our home. This home also shone as a lighthouse to all those around them.

His workday started early each day with farm work, then a day job for eight hours before returning to complete more farm chores. After this, if the need arose he still had energy for his family, brothers, or neighbours and community.

During his working career, Gus wore many different hats. He began at the CPR, then the cindercrete plant, followed by home construction with some of his brothers, and finally retired from a school division maintenance position. He hung up all of these hats in 2003 and sold the home farm in 2009 to move along with his wife to Swift Current where he lived until his passing. Even after his retirement however he continued to help his sons and their families with their building, farming, or other endeavours.

Gus was a quiet, reserved man and had less value for words and being heard than he did for listening and caring for others. His actions spoke volumes of his love and dedication to his family, others and the Lord.

He was predeceased by his parents, two brothers, Dave and Jack, one sister, Minnie and numerous in laws.

He is survived by his wife Marge, son's Jake (Tammy, grandson's Aaron and Nick), Calvin and Ron (Shannon, grandchildren Olivia and Jacob).

In Loving Memory of

## GUSTAV "GUS" SCHLAMP

BORN – February 25, 1938 at Swift Current area, SK

PASSED AWAY – September 15, 2020 at Swift Current, SK

### FUNERAL SERVICE

Sunday, September 20, 2020 at 2:30 pm  
Trailview Alliance Church, Swift Current, SK

OFFICIATING – Pastor Mike Smart

OBITUARY – Cornellia Funk

TRIBUTES – Jake Schlamp, Calvin Schlamp, Ron Schlamp,  
Aaron Schlamp, Nicholas Schlamp, and Bill Schlamp

USHERS – Robert Schlamp and Ben Banman

### PALLBEARERS

(Children) Jake (Tammy) Schlamp, Calvin Schlamp,  
Ron Schlamp, and Shannon Schlamp

(Grandsons) Nicholas Schlamp and Aaron Schlamp

### HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Gus' siblings and in-laws

INTERMENT – Immediately following the Funeral Service  
from the Chortitz Cemetery, Chortitz, SK

OFFICIATING – John Kehler

ARRANGEMENTS – Swift Current Funeral Home