



December 15, 1940
May 20, 2022

Gordon Kussatz was born on December 15, 1940 the son of Alfred and Esther (Marlow) Kussatz in Huntersville, MN. He grew up on the family farm in rural Sebeka and attended country school. Gordy graduated from Sebeka High School in 1959. After high school he was drafted into the United States Army in 1963 where he was in the Military Police Academy in Fort Gordon, GA and also as a Prison Guard at Fort Leavenworth Military Prison.

After serving his country, he started working for Erie Mining Company & LTV Steel for 33 years as a production truck driver.

On December 16, 1967, he was united in marriage to Mavis Maaninga and to this union three children were born.

Gordy enjoyed farming, cutting wood, tractors, hunting and wood working. Gordy played town ball for North Germany and was a lifelong Twins fan. He had a quick wit and great sense of humor. Gordy would have the kids and grandkids helping him plant potatoes but ended up firing them from the job.

Gordy is preceded in death by his wife Mavis; his parents Alfred and Esther Kussatz; brothers Floyd, Melvin, and Gary; sister Jean Steffens; sisters-in-law Luella Gustafson, Evelyn Kussatz, Ellen Rouna and Arlene Seikkula; brothers-in-law Harold Gustafson, Verdie Maaninga, Rudy Kako, Jerry Tomperi, Rick Bartol, Duane Dobson, Sam Richards, Dale Johanning, Alan Steffens, Floyd Rouna and Eddie Seikkula; and nephews Jon Maaninga, Ray Kussatz, and Larry Dobson.



IN LOVING MEMORY

Gordon Alvin Kussatz

Graveside Service

Jim Cook Cemetery

Menahga, Minnesota

Saturday, June 4, 2022 at 11:00 a.m.

Officiant

Donna Uselman

Soloist

Jerome Motzko

Survived By

Daughters: Luann (Robert) Johnson; and Sandy Kussatz; son: Keith Kussatz; son-in-law: John Saari; grandchildren: Alex (Cassie Blake) Saari; Melissa Johnson; Aaron Johnson; Christiana Saari; and Morgan Janke; great-granddaughters: Aubree and Gabriella Entner; and Aurora Seglem; sisters: Joyce Richards; LeAnn Bartol; and Marvin (Vickie Makela) Kussatz; sisters-in-law: Alice (Jim Krasky) Kako; Jean Tomperi; and Carolyn (Robert) Condon; brother-in-law: Harlin (Judy) Maaninga; numerous nieces, nephews and friends

