



In Memory Of

Stephen Joseph Aberle

October 27, 1945 ~ December 18, 2020



Obituary

Stephen Joseph Aberle, age 75, of Sabetha, KS, passed on to eternity on Friday, December 18, 2020. Stephen was born October 27, 1945, the sixth child to Mary and Joseph Aberle. He is survived by his brother, Richard (LaNae) Aberle of Peachtree, GA; his brother, Douglas (Sandra) Aberle of Moorpark, CA; and his sister, Judith Aberle of Redford, MI. He is also survived by 7 nieces, 1 nephew, 11 great-nieces, and 6 great-nephews.

Family members who preceded Stephen in death include: his precious wife of 11 months, Mary (Bahr) of Sabetha, KS; his parents, Joseph and Mary (Farney) Aberle of Sabetha, KS; his brother, Paul Aberle, of Kiowa, KS, who died in infancy; his sister, Esther (Ria) Aberle Crider of Moorpark, CA, and her daughter, Annette Novy, of Simi Valley, CA.

At the age of 20, Stephen committed his life to the Lord, experienced repentance and a born again conversion, and was baptized as a member of the Apostolic Christian Church. Stephen loved to study God's word in depth, and looked forward to the Rapture, when Christ comes for his bride.

Stephen attended grade school in Kiowa, KS; Sabetha High School, Sabetha, KS; and Kansas State University where he earned a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degree (DVM). After working in Veterinary Medicine for several years, he chose to transition to farming full time, as he found it more satisfying. Being analytically and mechanically minded, he continued to research farming and agriculture on his own, to obtain practical, technical knowledge.

Stephen had a strong faith in God, impressive work ethic, an inquisitive mind, and an uncanny ability to handle complexity. He enjoyed a challenge and was quick to help others. Stephen was also a licensed pilot. His latest project included building an airplane, making a runway, and building a hanger.

One could often hear Stephen whistling during the day, experimenting with tones and trilling/warbling sounds. He loved to sing and had a beautiful baritone voice. A tie that binds the entire Aberle Family is their love and appreciation of music. We will miss Stephen for all he was to us, but rejoice that he sings with the angels in the presence of His Lord.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Apostolic Christian Church of Sabetha or AC Harvest Call, a non-profit, missionary outreach arm of ACC of America or to the Charity of the Donor's Choice, sent in care of Popkess Mortuary, 823 Virginia Street, Sabetha, KS 66534.

On behalf of the Stephen Aberle family, we wish to express our gratitude for your kindness evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this memorial service.



Services In Care Of
Popkess Mortuary
Sabetha, Kansas

Heaven is my Home

But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God. ~1 Cor 2:9-10



Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.

So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory.

O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our LORD Jesus Christ.

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the LORD, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the LORD. ~1 Cor 15:51-58



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Date of Birth
October 27, 1945

Entered Into Rest
December 18, 2020

Funeral Services

10:00 AM, Wednesday, December 23, 2020

Apostolic Christian Church
Sabetha, Kansas

Officiating
Ministers of the Church

Casket Bearers

James Hartter
Richard Meyer
Cameron Meyer

Todd Fehr
Mark Schurter
Steven Edelman

Music
Church Choir
Selected Hymns

Interment
Sabetha Cemetery
Sabetha, Kansas

