

You can shed tears that he has gone

Or you can smile because he has lived.

You can close your eyes and pray that he'll come back

Or you can open your eyes and see all he has left.

Your heart can be empty because you can't see him

Or it can be full of the love you shared.

You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday,

Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.

You can remember him and only that he has gone,

Or you can cherish his memory

And let it live on.

You can cry and close your mind,

Be empty and turn your back,

Or you can do what he'd want:

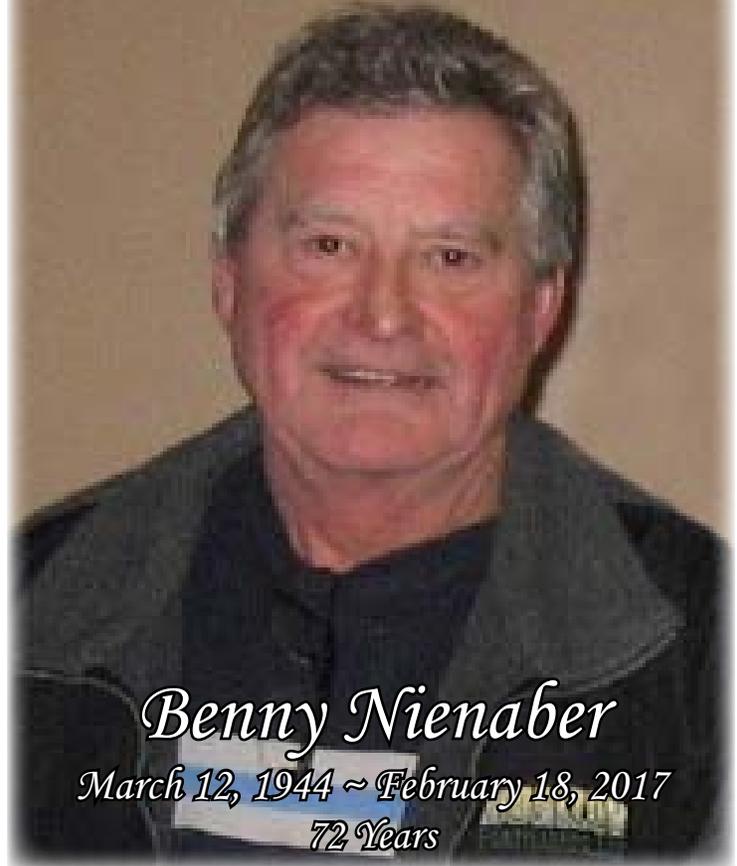
Smile – Open your eyes – Love – And go on.

APPRECIATION

The family wishes to express their gratitude for your kindness evidenced in thought and deed,
and for your attendance at the funeral service.

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"Dedicated to those we serve."

In Loving Memory Of



Benny Nienaber

March 12, 1944 ~ February 18, 2017

72 Years

FUNERAL MASS:

Friday, February 24, 2017 - 11:00 a.m.

St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church Annaheim, Saskatchewan

Celebrant:

Fr. Anthony Atter

Concelebrant:

Fr. Rudolph Novocosky, OSB

Music Ministry:

Organist - Lorraine Holtvogt
and members of St. Ann's Parish Choir

Crossbearer:

Jenny Weber

Scripture Reader:

Nicole Nienaber

Intentions:

Gerard Muyres

Giftbearers:

Marci & Dorian Litzenberger

Eulogist:

Trent Nienaber

Honorary Pallbearers:

Dave and Jane Niekamp

Urnbearer:

Shannon Litzenberger

INTERMENT:

St. Ann's Roman Catholic Cemetery Annaheim, Saskatchewan

Memorial Donations:

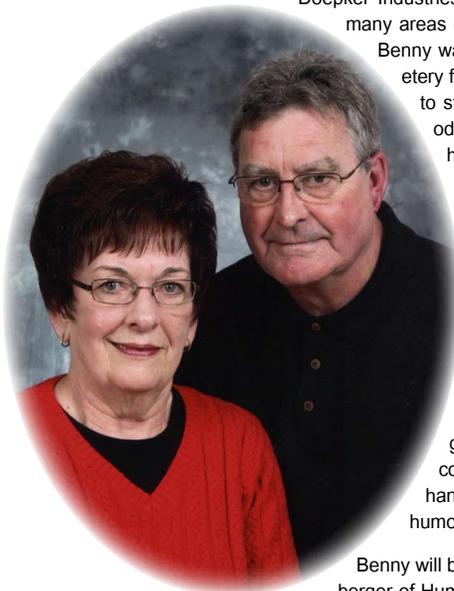
St. Ann's Roman Catholic Cemetery Fund

or

Canadian Cancer Society

Memorial Luncheon:

Annaheim Community Hall



Benny grew up on the family farm between Annaheim and St. Gregor. He attended Harvest School and then joined the work force. He began working at Doepker Industries in 1965. On May 11, 1968, he married Linda Linder at St. Gregory R.C Church in St. Gregor. They moved to Annaheim where they raised their family of two. Benny was employed at Doepker Industries until 2009, after a career spanning 44 years. He worked in many areas of the company, but always claimed he "just swept the floors".

Benny was the yardcare/caretaker for St. Ann's R.C. Church and Cemetery for over 30 years. After he retired from Doepker's, he continued to stay busy working for the Village of Annaheim and doing other odd jobs. Benny loved hockey and attended as many games as he could with his partner-in-crime Dave and their supporting cast from Annaheim. He especially loved to follow any game that Trent played in or coached. Benny also loved to golf, sinking a few holes-in-one; some of his most memorable times were on the golf course with family and friends. As well, he loved to tinker in his garage and if anything needed fixing, you knew aluminum and silicon were not far behind. Benny loved to garden and sit by the pond that he built for his wife, drinking wine and watching their treasured fish. In 2015, Benny moved to Humboldt and lived in Gabriella Estates until the present. There he kept busy tinkering around, going to hockey games, golfing, condo happy hour, and meeting friends and siblings for coffee. If anyone needed help, Benny was the first to offer his hand. He will be lovingly remembered for his infectious grin, his humour, and his brave, courageous eight-year battle with cancer.

Benny will be lovingly remembered by his daughter, Shannon (Jeff) Litzenberger of Humboldt and children, Marci and Dorian; his son, Trent Nienaber of Dodsland; four brothers: Joseph Nienaber of Humboldt, SK; Henry (Deanna) Nienaber of Saskatoon, SK; Martin (Donna) Nienaber of Rocanville, SK; Raymond (Brenda) Nienaber of Saskatoon, SK; and Clem (Wendy) Nienaber of Saskatoon, SK; two sisters: Freda Hilgers of Humboldt, SK; and Ramona (Frank) Munkler of Edson, AB; sister-in-law, Judy Nienaber; in-laws, Gerry and Loraine (nee Linder) Nordick; and by numerous nieces and nephews. He will also be lovingly remembered by Dave and Jane Niekamp and their family. Benny was predeceased by his wife, Linda (nee Linder) Nienaber (2011); his parents, Henry and Maria (nee Niekamp) Nienaber; parents-in-law, Alois and Bertha (Moorman) Linder; three brothers: Conrad, John, and Rudolph Nienaber; sister, Agnes Muyres; brothers-in-law: Leo Hilgers, and Richard Muyres; and by nephew Eric Nienaber.