



Norman Meredith Neal

December 20, 1932 - October 15, 2020

Neal, Norman

Passed away October 15, 2020 at age 87. Formerly of Bloomington, MN. Preceded in death by beloved wife, Barbara Jean (Odle). Survived by children, Nancy, David (Darcy), Steven (Theresa) and Jeanne (Chris) Hugo; 11 grandchildren & 7 great-grandchildren. Norm was a graduate of the University of Minnesota where he was a member of the Reserve Officer Training Corps. This prepared him for a distinguished career as a United States Air Force fighter pilot. After his flying career, he transitioned to insurance sales for a variety of companies in the Twin Cities. A private family service is planned. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project <https://support.woundedwarriorproject.org/donate>

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Dawn Valley Chapel 952-941-7686

Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Funeral Service of Norman M. Neal in memory of Norman Meredith Neal



Washburn-McReavy - October 19, 2020 at 10:22 AM

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“ When I visited Norm for the first time he proudly showed me his flower garden in Bloomington, MN. What I remember most was the Elf House he had created on one of the backyard trees. He would leave notes to the neighborhood kids "from the Elf," then they, in-turn would leave the Elf notes. What a fun, unique way to communicate with children. Indeed, a great communicator!



Kay Odle - October 19, 2020 at 11:33 AM

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“ I love you Papa.



Jess - October 19, 2020 at 11:08 AM

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“ So many great memories, but two stick in my mind....My wife Allison and I visited Norm and Barb in 1963 when he was stationed in Clovis, New Mexico. He was a "top gun" pilot and got permission to take us onto the runway near the take off point for the F100 fighter jets he flew. WOW! That evening he took us to the Officer's Club where he wanted us to see a comedian perform. It was, without a doubt, the worst performance of all time...of course, I never let him forget it and over the years we frequently laughed about it.



I loved him. He was the brother I never had.

David Odle, brother-in-law

David Odle - October 19, 2020 at 10:57 AM

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“ Our condolences to the Neal family on the passing of Norman Neal. Praying that you will all find comfort in your memories of him.
Charlotte and Fred Flugger

charlotte flugger - October 18, 2020 at 02:51 PM