



Lowell Hoellrich

September 21, 1933 - April 8, 2020

On April 8, 2020, Lowell Hoellrich was called unexpectedly to his final resting place in heaven, with his beloved wife Mary Ellen. Many that know Lowell as a father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, remember him for his wit and humor, as well as his love for farming and elevator coffee clubs.

Lowell was born in Defiance County in the fall of 1933 to the late Elmer and Leona Hoellrich. On June 29, 1954, he married Mary Ellen (Eberle) Hoellrich who preceded him in death on August 5, 2012.

Lowell was a 1951 graduate of Ayersville High School. He served in the United States Army during the Korean War. Lowell was a lifelong farmer and also worked at General Motors for over 28 years. He was a faithful member of St. John's United Church of Christ, Holgate, where he enjoyed church events and volunteering at the Shalom pantry. He was also a member of the Defiance VFW Post #3360 and served on the Jewell Grain Board of Directors.

He is survived by his children, Nancy (Martin) Helmke, Peg (Doug) Dammann, both of Napoleon, and Ron (Jeri) Hoellrich of Holgate; grandchildren, Renee (Tom) Bordner of Sudbury, Massachusetts, Andrew (Robyn) Helmke of Jewell, Amy (Adam) Hale of Upper Arlington, and Ryan (Callista) Dammann of Dublin; and 11 great-grandchildren, and a sister-in-law, Marie Eberle of Napoleon. He was preceded in death by a great-granddaughter, Madi

Dammann; and siblings, Lester, Melvin, Arthur, and Marge Hoellrich, and Shirley Gardner.

Due to the current health environment, a private burial will be held at St. John's United Church of Christ Cemetery. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Shalom Food Pantry I-946 ST RTE 108 Holgate, OH 43527. Online condolences may be made to the family at www.rodembergergray.com.

Cemetery Details

St. John's UCC Cemetery

13063 County Road J
Holgate, OH 43527

Tribute Wall

TH

“ TJ & Amy Hershberger sent a virtual gift in memory of Lowell Hoellrich



TJ & Amy Hershberger - April 14, 2020 at 04:20 PM

KE

“ Thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. Many memories with Lowell. Our deepest sympathy. Doug Hoellrich and family

Keri - April 14, 2020 at 12:32 PM

CA

“ So sorry to learn of the loss of your father and grandfather. We was a wonderful man, and I'm sure you have many stories and memories to hold close and keep the memories alive. Will miss his smile! My deepest sympathy to all of the family. I will pray for your comfort. God bless you all!

Carol Agler - April 12, 2020 at 02:43 PM

AE

“ Alan Eickholt lit a candle in memory of Lowell Hoellrich



Alan Eickholt - April 11, 2020 at 02:19 PM

JY

“ So sorry to hear of Lowell's passing! Sending thoughts and prayers while thinking of our childhood memories.

Jerry Yetter (Parrish FL)

Jerry Yetter - April 11, 2020 at 10:42 AM

JC

“ Dear Peg, Nancy and Ron and family,
So sorry to hear of your loss. Lowell was sure a go getter. He will be missed. God bless you all. Janelle Cline

Janelle Cline - April 11, 2020 at 02:41 AM

TW

“ Our condolences are with you all he was a good friend of Tom's
Tom and Mary Wilhelm



Tom and Mary Wilhelm - April 10, 2020 at 02:12 PM

DH

“ Nancy and Marty so sorry to read of your father's passing. May God's comforting arms surround you and your memories sustain you.

Diane (Rausch) & Tom Herman

Diane Herman - April 10, 2020 at 12:01 PM

DB

“ *Diane Buchhop lit a candle in memory of Lowell Hoellrich*



Diane Buchhop - April 10, 2020 at 09:50 AM

TH

“ *Tim & Tari Hockman lit a candle in memory of Lowell Hoellrich*




Tim & Tari Hockman - April 10, 2020 at 08:03 AM

DB

“ *Deb Bankey lit a candle in memory of Lowell Hoellrich*



Deb Bankey - April 09, 2020 at 09:20 PM

 Kaylee Westrick

“ *It was such an honor to get to know and care for Lowell! He was such a great man and I loved hearing his stories of the past. He knew how to put a smile on your face when you walked in the door. He will always hold a special place in my heart!*

♥ *Kaylee, Nick and the Wilhem boys*

Kaylee Westrick - April 09, 2020 at 09:13 PM

JR

“ *Ron ,Jeri , Nancy and Peg
You have our deepest sympathy. Our prayers are with all of you at this sad time. The Henry county fair tractor show won't be the same without him. He enjoyed watching the show , but also visiting with old friends.*

John & Tresa Rowland - April 09, 2020 at 07:50 PM

GB

“ *Greg And Kelly Boulton lit a candle in memory of Lowell Hoellrich*



Greg and Kelly Boulton - April 09, 2020 at 06:16 PM

LA

“ *My Dad and Lowell became buddies the past year at Vancrest. Lowell always looked forward to their trips to Stanley Elevator and sitting in the sun. A gentle giant, always so kind to everyone.*



Linda Arreguin - April 09, 2020 at 05:33 PM