



Leslie "Les" Grubb

September 24, 1952 - May 6, 2026

Les Grubb, 73, of Oskaloosa, passed away on Wednesday, May 6, 2026, at the Mahaska Hospice Serenity House in Oskaloosa.

Leslie Grubb, son of Mayo and Eunice (Ahrens) Grubb, was born September 24, 1952, in Oskaloosa, Iowa. Growing up, Les attended Oskaloosa Senior High School and graduated with the class of 1970. After high school, Les attended college for a while before enlisting in the United States Air Force. After his discharge, Les returned to Oskaloosa, where he was employed as a carpenter and did handyman work for any project. He was a skilled craftsman and particularly enjoyed woodworking.

In his free time, Les enjoyed riding RAGBRAI, camping, fishing, and many enjoyable evenings grilling with his friends.

Les was a member of the American Legion.

Les's family includes his two daughters: Angie (Darren) Shain of Oak Park, CA, and their children: Andie, Jacob, and Makena; Carly Estes of Spokane, WA, and her children: Camille, Cayden, and Cassandra; a sister, Nancy (Dave) Sorrell of Washington, IA; and an aunt, Mildred Borts of Mingo, IA.

Les was preceded in death by his parents, Mayo and Eunice Grubb, and many aunts and uncles.

Celebration of life will be held at The American Legion in Oskaloosa on Friday, June 5th, at noon. Memorials can be made to the Mahaska Health Hospice Serenity House.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUN 5. 12:00 PM (CT)

Harry L. Anderson American Legion Post #34
302 High Ave. East
Oskaloosa, IA 52577

Tribute Wall

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“ *Les, Bg, and I lived together when we got out of high school, many stores and He was a great carpenter just like Mayo! Nancy he will be missed.*

Tom Walling - May 12 at 11:41 AM

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“ *There was hardly a spare moment that Les wasn't either grilling chicken, or woodworking, playing records really Loud, or drinking an Ultra.*
He fought a tough battle with a positivity I wouldn't have believed if I wasn't there to see it.
Rest In Peace, Les
You certainly deserve it.

Kerri Moore - May 12 at 11:23 AM