



## Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren

November 12, 1935 - October 9, 2015

Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren, 79, passed away on October 9, 2015. He was born on November 12, 1935, to Melvin John Shelgren and Hollys Fay Koestler, in Pocahontas, Iowa.

Shelly graduated from Eden Prairie High School in 1953. Later serving in the United States Army during the Korean War, he received the Bronze Star. Shelly worked as a service manager for the telephone company for many years, before retiring. He was also a farmer.

In addition to a great love for his dogs, Shelly cherished spending time with friends and family, sharing many stories with them. His hobbies included going to dinner, dancing, seeing tractor shows, and collecting telephones.

Preceding Shelly in death were his parents: Melvin and Hollys Shelgren; and brother, Donald Shelgren.

Those left to carry on his legacy are his sister, Sheryl Jane Shelgren, of Missouri; and niece, Felicia Gonzales.

Private services will be scheduled at a later date.

"REBORN" for Shelly by Jennifer Yingling

A crisp chill upon the early morning air,  
slipping away from that of a worldly consciousness,  
still and all, the glorious sun ascends,  
displaying not of death nor sorrow;  
rather a celestial rebirth.

For this mortal man has transitioned to divine being,  
and peace eternal amidst the Kingdom of Heaven...

Please take a moment to share your thoughts and memories of Shelly with his family in the online register at [andersonbethhany.com](http://andersonbethhany.com).

Services are under the direction of Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *You will be missed by all that knew you. When I lived with you and mom, you taught me a lot. I thank you for that and I will always remember the good times we shared. Rest in peace Shelly.*

**Larry Spence** - October 18, 2015 at 12:07 PM



“ *Larry Spence lit a candle in memory of Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren*



**Larry Spence** - October 18, 2015 at 11:59 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you..*



**Corinne Duran** - October 15, 2015 at 10:55 PM

RB

“ *Ruben Bernal lit a candle in memory of Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren*



**Ruben Bernal** - October 14, 2015 at 09:30 PM

 Shelby Spence

“ *Shelby Spence lit a candle in memory of Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren*



**Shelby Spence** - October 14, 2015 at 08:56 PM

MH

“ *Marty Heilmann lit a candle in memory of Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren*



**Marty Heilmann** - October 14, 2015 at 08:52 PM

MH

*With deepest sympathy to Shelleys family...thinking of you.*

**Marty Heilmann** - October 14, 2015 at 08:54 PM

TS

*You will be missed by all of us. My sympathy to all the family.*

**Terri Shaver** - October 19, 2015 at 10:08 AM

DS

“ *David Spence lit a candle in memory of Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren*



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**David Spence** - October 14, 2015 at 08:11 PM

TS

“ *Terri Spence Shaver lit a candle in memory of Sidney "Shelly" Shelgren*



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**Terri Spence Shaver** - October 14, 2015 at 08:07 PM