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Arthur "Art" Louis Klein, 62, of Burlington died at 3:56 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 23, 2014, at Great River Hospice House in West Burlington.

Born Feb. 5, 1952, in Burlington, he was the son of Arnold G. and Audrey J. Westermeyer Klein. On Jan. 17, 2004, he married Rebecca "Becky" J. Riley in West Burlington.

Mr. Klein worked at Klein Manufacturing and Prudential. For more than 10 years, he also worked at Turley's Menswear. He owned and operated Farney's on Jefferson Street in Burlington the past 25 years.

He attended Burlington High School, graduated from Notre Dame High School and attended Shattuck Military Academy in Faribault, Minn.

He was a member of Zion United Church of Christ. He also was a member of Burlington Elks Lodge 84, serving as secretary, and was a past state president of the Iowa Elks Association. In addition, he was a member of Moose Lodge 579, Burlington Gym, Eagles Lodge Aerie 150 and Masonic Lodge AF&AM.

He was a keyboard player for several area bands.

He was a Cubs and Bears fan, collected beer steins and enjoyed his work with the Elks.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters; his mother of Burlington; two sisters, Becky Adams of Burlington and Bonney Lord of Joplin, Mo.; and nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father.

The funeral for Mr. Klein will be at 4 p.m. Saturday at Lunning Chapel in Burlington, with the Rev. Dean Moberg officiating, and Elk rites will be conducted. Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and family will receive friends from 1 to 3 p.m. at Lunning Chapel before the service. The body will be cremated after the funeral, and burial will be at a later date.

Memorials have been established for the Des Moines County Humane Society and Elks National Foundation.

