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## Jerry F Nauert

**Born:** Wed., May 24, 1939

**Died:** Thu., Jul. 2, 2015

### Visitation

10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, Sat., Jul. 11, 2015

**Location:** [Valley Funeral Home](#)

### Memorial Service

12:00 PM Sat., Jul. 11, 2015

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Jerry Nauert, 76, of Appleton, WI, died July 2, 2015. He passed away peacefully with his wife by his side. Jerry was the son of the late Robert and Edna Nauert. He is survived by his wife Sue, with whom he celebrated 49 years of marriage; by his children, Todd (Jennifer) Nauert, Christine (Christopher) Baety, his sister Lois Nauert, and his grand-daughter Chloe Nauert.

Jerry was known as a quiet, kind and caring father, husband and friend. He gave generously of himself to his family, his church and the students he taught and mentored. He was a committed Christian man who loved the Lord with all his heart. He exemplified Christ's values in all he did.

Jerry's life centered around sports, both personally and professionally. His 1956 American Legion baseball team, which won the National American Legion title, was inducted into the St. Louis, MO, Amateur Baseball Hall of Fame in 1996. He was drafted out of college to play for the Chicago Cubs minor league organization.

Jerry earned both his Bachelor of Science and Master Degrees from the University of Missouri - Columbia. He began as a teacher/coach in Collins, Missouri, before becoming the assistant athletic trainer at the University of Missouri in 1965. In 1968, Jerry accepted the position of head athletic trainer and assistant professor at the UW-Oshkosh, where he retired in 2001. He missed only two UW-Oshkosh home athletic events in 22 years as the head athletic trainer. He became an honorary captain of the UW-Oshkosh football team in the fall of 2013.

Jerry was one of the charter members and founders of the Wisconsin Athletic Trainers Association (WATA), serving as the organization's first president in 1975.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, July 11, 2015 at Valley Funeral Home (2211 N. Richmond Street, Appleton, WI) beginning at 10:00am until time for the service at 12:00pm.

In lieu of flowers, donations will be forwarded by the family to two orphanages in South America.

*The Nauert Family would especially like to thank Ed and Jessica from Home Instead, the staff at Living Tree Estates, Barbie - his dedicated Hospice nurse, and all the staff from Affinity Hospice for the kind and loving care they provided to Jerry during the last year. May God bless each of you.*



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