



## Darold A Asbridge

December 2, 1950 - May 5, 2012

Darold Adrian Asbridge, 61, Bismarck, died May 5, 2012, at Med Center One surrounded by his family. A memorial service will be held at 1:00 pm Wednesday, May 9, at Parkway Funeral Service, 2330 Tyler Parkway, Bismarck, with Rev. Craig Schweitzer officiating. There will be no visitation as cremation has taken place. Darold was born December 2, 1950 at Bismarck, the son of Donald G. and Bernice M. Wenaas Asbridge. He graduated from Bismarck High, 1968; UND 1972 undergraduate in Public Administration; UND Law School, 1975 Juris Doctorate. Darold, loved the family lake home at Lake Tschida, trapshooting, hunting with his loyal dog and cooking for his many friends. Darold was a past-president of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity Delta-Mu Chapter; State Board of Governors, ND Trial Lawyers Association; Member of the North Dakota Trial Lawyers Association for many years; Member of the Bismarck Elks Lodge since 1971; Member of the ND State Bar Association since 1976; Past President of the ND Trapshooting Association; Member of the ND State Trapshooting Association since 1986; Long-time Board member of the ND State Trapshooting Association; former Board of Director of the ND Roughrider Trapshooting Association, as well as a member since 1983. Past President of the Capital City Gun Club and a long-time Board Member. Darold always enjoyed his hunting and shooting life, as well as his family. He was generally recognized as a competent Trial lawyer, and frequently spoke on his areas of expertise, so as to share with others. Darold is survived by his sister, Donna Joe LaFave, Bismarck; niece, Dawnice LaFave, Sparta NJ; nephew,

George LaFave, Bismarck, ND; great-nieces, Skyler and Aubrey LaFave; and his special friend, Thomas Sylskar; as well as many cousins and other family members that he held close to his heart. He was preceded in death by his parents. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to the Capital City Gun Club Youth Program.

Darold had hundreds of kids go through the Youth Program at the Capital City Gun Club, Youth Program, and treated them as if they were his own.

# Tribute Wall

KM

“ To the Asbridge Family: I offer my condolences. I imagine you must have been very proud to have Darold in your lives, as he was such a great guy. My dear cousin Tom, I am so sorry. I will be forever thankful for the time we got to spend with you and Darold together, over coffee and your famous sugar cookies and especially last summer at the Lake. You two were always the hosts with the most! Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Kari-elin Mock** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ Tom, I am truly saddened by your loss, as it was clear from my first visit to ND that your relationship was one not only of strength and perseverance, but a lot of fun and kindness. I am glad I got to spend time with you two, Toby, & family in your element up at the Lake. Stay strong, the memories will remain.

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**Rafael Espinoza** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Darold-- the first lawyer I ever worked for; now it's 30 years later and I'm still working for them, but no one will ever come close to your talent and fun-loving spirit. May you be at peace. You will be missed so very much.

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**Shawn Makelke** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WP

“ It was my privilege to have served alongside Darold on the Board of the ND Trapshooting Association. I'm saddened by his passing. The trapshooting world has lost one of its champions.

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**William Peterson** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ I'm so sorry I couldn't have learned how to TRAP-SHOOT at the cabin at Lake T. Dawnice and I missed a great opportunity... You were so generous and thoughtful Darold. I told Dakota---that is a "cool Uncle"...God Bless...

David Larkin - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BV

“ DONNA AND FAMILY I HAVE MANY GOOD MEMORIES FROM MY HIGH SCHOOL & EARLY COLLEGE DAYS.HANGING OUT WITH DAROLD ALONG WITH THE REST OF OUR GANG,DAVE,ALAN AND TOM. WE HAD SOME GREAT TIMES. MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCES. BOB VEDVICK

BOB VEDVICK - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VC

“ Sorry to hear of the loose of Darold He was a good guy glad I was able to have a chance to know him

Vaughn Chesrown - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Darold, I have such fond memories of the good old Baer & Asbridge days. Don and I still talk about the wild game feeds occasionally. Our condolences to your loved ones. Jackie

Don and Jackie Faith - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ So very sorry to hear this news, I have been a past client as well as a friend for many years. You will be missed by so many people.

LaRae Bailey - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AT

“ Tom - Although Darold's absence from Lake Sakakawea will be noted, we hope that the serenity of the big water will always provide you with special memories of your time together. Please accept our sincerest condolences

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**Anita Thomas** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Tom, George, Donna and families - I am filled with much grief over the loss of our dear Darold and share in your sadness. He was a great, great man that taught me and many others so much - working for Darold was truly a wonderful experience and through those years, he proved to be not only an amazing boss, but also a mentor, a father-figure and most of all, a friend. I will miss him greatly and will have the utmost love and respect for him always. Please know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Keylee

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**Keylee Hertz Barnett** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ Dearest Donna and family-we are so sorry for your loss. Darold was a wonderful person, and all my memories of him include his big laugh and personality. I know you will miss him terribly. Wish we could come up to be with you guys. Please take care! Love Kari

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**Kari Lunn** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ Darold was a great guy to go shooting with. Tom, my condolences to you and remember to stay in touch with your friends.

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**Tim Gerhart** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

EG

“ Dear Donna and Family, My deepest sympathies on your loss. I didn't know Darold very well, but my mom has always spoken very highly about him and the good times she remembers when you all were kids. I'll be keeping each of you in my thoughts and prayers.

Emily Harris Godinez - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Darold was a great man...He was my first boss when I started work at the Gun Club. He always treated us with respect. He will be missed!

James Hoffer - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ Donna, Joe and Family Our thoughts and Prayers are with you in the loss of your loved one.

Arlie and Duwaine Jakobsen - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ Darold, you will be missed by so many.. God Bless you and give strenght to your loved ones for their loss...It was a great pleasure knowing you for so many years!

Cindy Niemann - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KT

“ Darold, you were a great man, a great encouragement. Thank you for your example of true authenticity. Tom, you have my prayers and condolences.

Kevin R. Tengesdal - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Donna, Joe and family, we are so sorry to hear about Darold's passing. He was a wonderful fellow with so many talents. The world will be a sadder place without him. Our love to you all. LaRoy and Mary

LaRoy and Mary Baird - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JV

“ Darold was one of the strongest advocates for his clients I've had the pleasure of meeting. Always a gentleman, he was like a bulldog when fighting for his cause. He will be sorely missed in the legal community.

Jim Vukelic - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ A fine President of our fraternity and a special influence to an incoming freshman with a bit of a wild western nd streak. My condolences, Dave Stearns AEKDB

Dave Stearns - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ My sympathies to the Asbridge family. Thanks you for the great memories brother. AEKDB Dale

Dale Anderson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ My sympathies to the Asbridge family. Rest in peace, Darold! AEKDB

Dennis Peterson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM