



## Vernon Harold Gingerich

August 15, 1935 - April 15, 2025

Vernon Harold Gingerich passed away in Lakewood Ranch, Florida on April 15th 2025. He was born in Rugby, North Dakota on August 15th 1935.

Vernon was a devoted father and husband, and a bright member of his community. He was a successful crop farmer for 28 years, as well as a salesman for Gingerich Glass and Aluminum for another 20 years. He made the move to Florida in 1985, where he'd faithfully attend Bethel Mennonite Church.

Vernon is preceded in death by his parents Aaron and Mattie; wife Donna; siblings Ernie, John, Rueben, Leona; and grandson Colby.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife of 10 years Joyce Stoll; children Derald Gingerich, Douglas Gingerich and his wife Marilyn, Verlin Gingerich and his wife Sally, Sheila Stiles and her husband Karl, Shellie Carlisle and her husband Ed; siblings Orlin Gingerich and his wife Clara, Aaron Gingerich and his wife Edna, Iona Slaubaughn and her husband Elvin, Ilene Bannon, Lana Lengacher and her husband Buzz; seventeen grandchildren; thirty three great grandchildren; and three great, great grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made in his honor to Global Disciples at: <http://globaldisciples.org/get-involved/give/>

There will be a visitation on Tuesday April 22nd from 5:00-7:00pm, and Wednesday April 23rd from 9:00-10:00am at Bethel Mennonite Church. The visitation will be followed by a graveside service on April 23rd at the Bethel Mennonite Church Cemetery at 10:00am. The graveside service will be followed by a memorial service on April 23rd at Bethel Mennonite Church in Sarasota at 11:00am.

Memories and condolences may be left for his family at [www.MFHcares.com](http://www.MFHcares.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **22**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bethel Mennonite Church  
2985 Bethel Lane  
Sarasota, FL 34240

## Visitation

APR **23**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Sarasota, FL 34240

## Graveside Service

APR **23**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Bethel Mennonite Cemetery  
2985 Bethel Lane  
Sarasota, FL 34240

## Memorial Service

APR **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethel Mennonite Church  
2985 Bethel Lane  
Sarasota, FL 34240

# Tribute Wall

RF

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I met Vernon one day when i was visiting my son across the street. We started talking about cars and that's all it took. I had the pleasure of buying his yellow Covette that he loved so much. I'm taking great care of the car and love it as much as he did. He will be dearly missed.

Rob Farr - July 01, 2025 at 02:28 PM

DI

“ Dan & Inez purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Vernon Harold Gingerich.



Dan & Inez - April 21, 2025 at 11:49 AM

OS

“ Orlin & Clara Gingerich & Sons purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Vernon Harold Gingerich.



Orlin & Clara Gingerich & Sons - April 20, 2025 at 10:14 PM

SH

“ Sympathy and love to the families of Vernon, who are all my cousins. Enjoyed visiting with Vernon and Joyce at Hawk Days a few years ago in N.D Lots of great memories of the Gingerich family. Sanford Helmuth, Montana

Sanford Helmuth - April 18, 2025 at 09:21 PM

NH

“ So very sorry for the passing of Vernon. He was such a nice man and as a young man, I was very fortunate to work for such a great guy. In addition, he always had time to talk about anything. Neil Halley

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Neil Halley - April 17, 2025 at 11:24 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Vernon Harold Gingerich.



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April 17, 2025 at 09:50 AM