



Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl

December 8, 1942 - July 8, 2025

Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl, 82 year old resident of Pierz, MN passed away Tuesday, July 8, 2025 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Brainerd, MN. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Tuesday, July 15, 2025 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN with Father Aaron Nett officiating. Visitation will be held from 4-7 P.M. on Monday, July 14, 2025 at the LeMieur Funeral Home in Little Falls, MN and from 9:30-11:00 A.M. on Tuesday at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN. Caring for Eddie and his family is the LeMieur Funeral Home in Little Falls, MN.

Edward was born on December 8, 1942, in Little Falls, Minnesota, to the late Paul and Evelyn (Gruber) Gangl. He grew up on the family farm in Little Rock, Minnesota, and graduated with the Class of 1960 from Pierz Memorial High School. On June 30, 1962, Edward was united in marriage to Carolyn Otremba at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Buckman, Minnesota. The couple began their married life in Little Falls and later moved to Pierz after the birth of their second son. Together, Edward and Carolyn built a life rooted in hard work, faith, and community. They owned and operated several businesses over the years, including the Pierz Cafe, G&F Sales, G&G Sales, and finally Eddie's Auto Mart and Wrecker Service. Even after retiring, Edward continued working part-time at Brandl Motors, always staying active and connected. Edward had a gift for conversation and never missed an opportunity to visit with others. He and Carolyn enjoyed many memorable trips to Branson,

Missouri, and casino adventures with a close-knit group of friends. Above all, Edward cherished the time spent with his family and friends, which brought him the greatest joy.

Edward is survived by his loving wife of 63 years, Carolyn Gangl of Pierz; sons: Paul (Denise) Gangl of Lakeville, MN, Brian (Lori) Gangl of Pierz, MN, Mark Gangl of Pierz, MN and Wayne (Tammie Graupmann) Gangl of South Haven, MN; sister, Judy (Steve) Ringeisen of Sauk Rapids, MN; 10 grandchildren, Christopher, Candice, Brandon, Bradley, Nicholas, Cole, Evan, Nathan, Matthew, and Megan and nine great-grandchildren, Landon, Brinley, James, Adeline, Willa, Emery, Sophia, Blaklynn, and Brooks.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Paul and Evelyn Gangl; brother, Gordy Gangl; daughter-in-law, Colette Gangl; and his parents-in-law, Henry and Helen Otremba.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Cemetery

Pierz, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 14. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

LeMieur Funeral Home of Little Falls
214 2nd Street SE
Little Falls, MN

Visitation

JUL 15. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
68 North Main Street
Pierz, MN

Funeral Mass

JUL 15. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
68 North Main Street
Pierz, MN

Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - July 11, 2025 at 03:21 PM

WS

“ *With Love and Sympathy, Chandra and Sam purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl.*



With Love and Sympathy, Chandra and Sam - July 13, 2025 at 07:37 PM



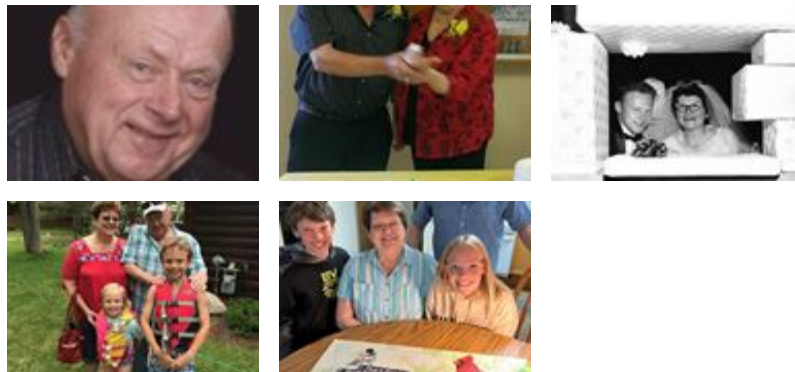
“ *19 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - July 13, 2025 at 01:15 PM



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Lemieux Funeral Homes - July 11, 2025 at 03:17 PM



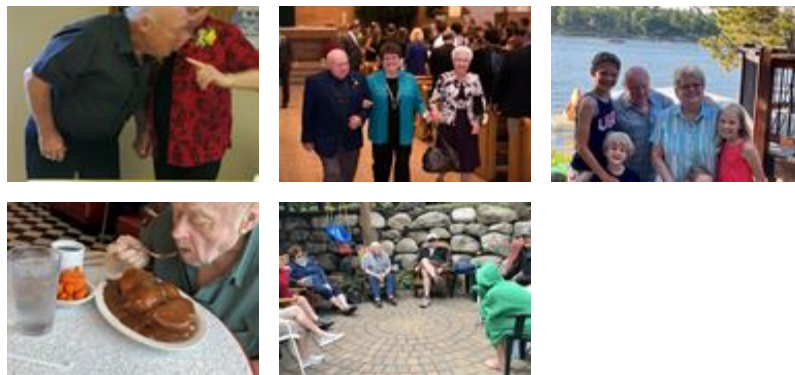
“ Howard and Valerie Harmon purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl.



Howard and Valerie Harmon - July 11, 2025 at 09:51 AM



“ 35 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lemieux Funeral Homes - July 10, 2025 at 04:06 PM

DR

“ Rest in peace Eddie! All of us @ Mid State Auto Auction give our condolences to the family of Eddie. I for one had a lot of visits with this wonderful person . And I will always remember his smile. Deb Rudolph from MSAA

Deb Rudolph-MSAA - July 09, 2025 at 11:50 PM

FS

“ From everyone at SpartanNash planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl.

From everyone at SpartanNash - July 09, 2025 at 03:51 PM

FS

“ From everyone at SpartanNash purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl.



From everyone at SpartanNash - July 09, 2025 at 03:51 PM

TL

“ Tom Ledbetter lit a candle in memory of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl



Tom Ledbetter - July 09, 2025 at 02:39 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl.*



July 09, 2025 at 02:11 PM



“ *Eddie was a good man and rescued me more than once when my truck/vehicle broke down. So sorry for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*



Kelly Voltin Thomsen - July 09, 2025 at 11:44 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl.*



July 09, 2025 at 10:43 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl.*

July 09, 2025 at 10:43 AM

DS

“ I knew Eddie since I was a little girl. He use to come over and hang out with my sister, Judy Hoheisel, on the farm. He and Judy were classmates and great friends. RIP Eddie! Tell Judy I said I Miss her!



Doris (Hoheisel) Sorensen - July 09, 2025 at 09:32 AM

LK

“ My thoughts and prayers for all left behind.



Lisa Kowalzek - July 09, 2025 at 08:06 AM

NW

“ Nancy Waldvogel lit a candle in memory of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl



Nancy Waldvogel - July 09, 2025 at 07:33 AM

TP

“ Trudee Preimesberger lit a candle in memory of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl



Trudee Preimesberger - July 08, 2025 at 11:28 PM

TP

My sincere condolences to Carolyn, Paul, Denise, Brian, Lori, Mark and Wayne and your families as you process the loss of Eddie!

Trudee Preimesberger - July 08, 2025 at 11:32 PM

JP

“ *John And Darlene Preimesberger lit a candle in memory of Edward "Eddie" P. Gangl*



John and Darlene Preimesberger - July 08, 2025 at 10:52 PM

MW

“ *My condolences to the family of Eddie
He taught me alot, for that I'm grateful for
All the Things he has done for me and my family* ❤️

Mike Welle - July 08, 2025 at 06:19 PM