



Edward J. Rudnicki

March 25, 1953 - July 11, 2019

Edward "Ed" J. Rudnicki, 66 year old resident of Opole, MN passed away Thursday, July 11, 2019 at the St. Cloud Hospital. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place at 10:30 A.M. on Monday, July 15, 2019 at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church in Opole, MN with Father Gene Doyle officiating. Burial will take place in the Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Cemetery in Opole, MN. A visitation will be from 4-7 P.M. on Sunday, July 14, 2019 at the Shelley Funeral Chapel in Little Falls, MN and from 9:30-10:30 A.M. on Monday at the Church in Opole, MN. Parish prayers will be prayed at 4:00 P.M. on Sunday at the Shelley Funeral Chapel in Little Falls, MN. Funeral arrangements are with the Shelley Funeral Chapel in Little Falls, MN.

Edward Joseph Rudnicki was born on March 25, 1953 in St. Cloud, MN to Emily (Skroch) and the late Stanley Rudnicki. He grew up in St. Wendel, MN and graduated from Holdingford High School with the Class of 1971. He then completed mechanics courses at St. Cloud Technical College and began working as a Hyster forklift mechanic for Nott Company as well as other repair services. Ed was united in marriage to Deborah Peterson on May 24, 1975 at Zion Lutheran Church in Little Falls, MN. The couple settled in Opole, MN on a small farm where they raised beef cattle and farmed a corn and hay crop. He enjoyed working on his own machinery as well as helping others with their machinery repairs. Ed taught himself machining skills and developed his own devices to assist when problems arose. He enjoyed the company of his family

and friends at his shop. Ed will always be remembered for his gifted mechanic skills and his willingness to help or share his experiences as well as providing a needed repair part to a fellow friend or neighbor.

Ed is survived by loving wife Deborah Rudnicki of Opole, MN; mother, Emily Rudnicki of St. Wendel, MN; children, Corey (Annette) Rudnicki of Blackduck, MN and Brandon (Amanda) Rudnicki of Holdingford, MN; grandchildren, Benjamin, Izabelle, Claire, and Grace; brothers, Daniel (significant other Phyllis) Rudnicki of Holdingford, MN, Ernest (Ann) Rudnicki of St. Wendel, MN and Roger (Laurie) Rudnicki of Avon, MN; sisters, Alvina (Alfred) VanDrehle of Spring Hill, MN, Janice (David) Fiedler of St. Stephen, MN and Doreen (John) Czech of Oak Park, MN.

Ed was preceded in death by his father, Stanley Rudnicki.

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 - 10:30 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church
42942 125th Ave.
Holdingford, MN

Funeral Service

JUL 15. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Edward J. Rudnicki*



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“ *Edward J. Rudnicki*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Debbie I'm sorry for your lost. I'll keep you and your family is in my prayers.*



Amelia Zehowski - July 14, 2019 at 12:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Edward J. Rudnicki.*



July 13, 2019 at 01:24 PM



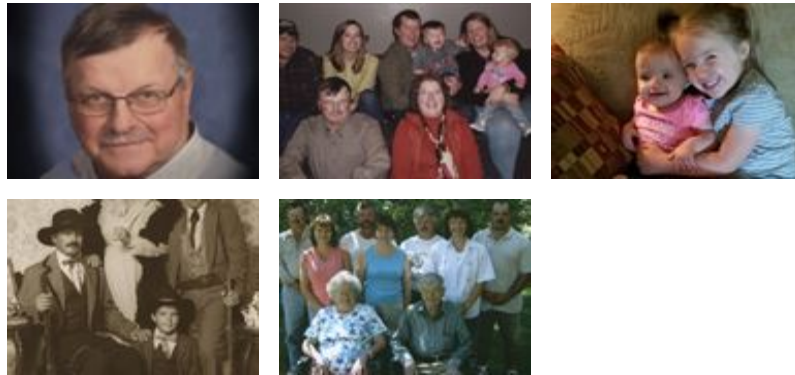
“ *Red Rose Reverence Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Edward J. Rudnicki.*



July 13, 2019 at 03:52 AM



“ *58 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - July 12, 2019 at 10:30 AM



“ *Words can't express how sad we were to hear of Ed's passing. We will keep all of you in our prayers.*



Jan Erwin - July 12, 2019 at 08:15 AM

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“ I am going to miss my Mechanical Buddy. We used to have alot of talks about engines and parts and how it all works. I always enjoyed him showing me parts or something that he made to fix whatever needed fixing. Sending all my love and sympathy to Deb, Corey, Brandon and the rest of the family!!!! RIP my Dear Friend!!!!



*Death leaves a Heartache
That no one can Heal.
Love leaves a Memory
That no one can Steal.*

*Love and Hugs
Linda Zwak*

Linda Zwak - July 11, 2019 at 05:18 PM