



Edward Louis Girtz

December 29, 1918 - November 1, 2009

Edward Louis Girtz was born on December 29, 1918 in Vancouver, Washington to the late Jacob and Nettie (Kramers) Girtz. He grew up working on the family farm in the Lastrup area and also worked on various threshing crews. He took over the family farm until retiring from farming in 1969. Edward was united in marriage to Inez A. Myran on September 22, 1940 in Lastrup, MN. He was a hard working man and held many different jobs in addition to farming. He worked at Crystal Construction, Crestliner Boatworks, Ben Bednarek Trucking, and Burlington Northern Railway bucking ties on the railroad. Edward was a self taught mechanic and worked on many neighbor's tractors as well as collecting a few John Deere tractors himself. Edward played fiddle in The Two Eddies Band at many barn dances, parties, and weddings. He enjoyed his garden and spending time with his family and grandchildren.

Edward is survived by his sons, Eddie C. (Rosanne) Girtz, and Kenny Girtz, both of Hillman, MN; daughter, Donna (Ron) Tretter, also of Hillman; 13 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, and 5 great-great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; wife Inez; granddaughters, Teena Tretter and Joyce Girtz; brother, Henry Girtz; sisters, Veronica Johnson and Alma Theis.

Honorary casketbearers will be Carol Detara, Karrie Hodel, Brenda Coult, Amanda Girtz, Ronnie Girtz, and Lisa Girtz.

Active casketbearers will be Terry Athman, Kelsey Girtz, Janice Stiller, Joni

Saskar, Heidi Sand, Chuckie Girtz.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 3. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

LeMieur Funeral Home of Pierz
202 Main St. South
Pierz, MN

Visitation

NOV 4. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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Service

NOV 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. John's Nepomuk
28520 Church Street
Lastrup, MN

Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Edward Louis Girtz*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - November 01, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Edward Louis Girtz*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM