



Floyd L. Mathiowetz

October 16, 1947 - February 2, 2024

Floyd L. Mathiowetz, 76 year old resident of Pierz, MN passed away Friday, February 2nd, 2024 at his home near Pierz. A Memorial Mass of Christian Burial will be at 11:00 AM on Friday, February 16, 2024, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN with Father Aaron Nett officiating. Burial will be in the Parish Cemetery. Visitation will be from 9 to 11 AM on Friday at the church. Caring for Floyd and his family is the Shelley Funeral Chapel in Pierz, MN.

Floyd was born October 16, 1947 in Redwood Falls, MN to the late Harold and Lucille (Tauer) Mathiowetz. He was raised on the family farm and graduated from Olivia High School in 1965. He continued his education at Mankato State University where he earned his Business Administration degree in 1969. He started his career as a bank examiner and then worked as a banker for many years before ending his career in insurance and annuity sales.

In 1972 he married Sharon Harms. They settled in Pierz in 1975 where they raised their two children, Sara and Joe. Floyd was a great husband and father and the family has many fond memories of camping trips, as well as road trip vacations all over the U.S. He also enjoyed his yearly hunting and fishing trips, although we believe he looked more forward to the cards and company than the fishing or hunting. He loved to read and was often sharing books with

friends and family. If you spoke with Floyd for any length of time you knew he was conservative. He was always ready to talk politics and sometimes discussions could get a little spirited. He loved a good card game, be it with friends or at the casino. He was a big Minnesota Twins, Vikings and Gophers fan. Floyd was always overly optimistic where sports were concerned, telling us "this was going to be their year." He lived a full life but we are disappointed he never got to see his Vikings win a Super Bowl or be dealt the elusive royal flush.

Community involvement started as a necessity to get to know people in the Pierz Community, but became a passion of his. He was a member of St Joseph's Catholic Church serving as a parish council member, trustee and usher. He was a board member of Horizon Health, Rose Court, a member of the Jaycees, Pierz Lions and Little Falls Rotary Club for many years and helped deliver Meals on Wheels. Alcoholics Anonymous was also an important part of his later life and we know he cared greatly for his AA friends.

Floyd is survived by the love of his life, Sharon; daughter, Sara Dick and husband, Rodney; son, Joe Mathiowetz and wife Tammy (Kliber). Proud Grandpa to Grace, Alex, Ella and Aiden Dick and Ben and Nora Mathiowetz; sisters, Alice (Gene) Renstrom, Bernice (Dan) Amberg, Donna (Dave) Larson and brother, Harvey (Betty) Mathiowetz, along with many special nieces and nephews.

Floyd was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Joyce and Joann Mathiowetz; niece, Susan Amberg and nephew, Todd Mathiowetz.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Cemetery

Pierz, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 16. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Mass of Christian Burial

FEB 16. 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 Floyd L. Mathiowetz*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - February 13, 2024 at 10:46 AM

AV

He was one of the best ! He had the best stories and jokes! Rest in peace Floyd you will be dearly missed! ❤️

Anna vait - February 14, 2024 at 10:34 PM

VN

Thank you for the lovely Tribute Video. I always loved watching his facial expressions, especially during our childhood. We were blessed to have great 1st cousins. Virginia (Mathiowetz) Nikolai

Virginia Nikolai - February 19, 2024 at 12:12 PM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Floyd L. Mathiowetz.*



February 15, 2024 at 10:14 PM

DL

“ There are so many good memories when you grow up with such a wonderful brother. He was always there for me when I grew up and when I was starting out at Mankato State. He helped me with my taxes, he helped me when my car broke down. He helped when I needed support. I was so blessed to have him look after me.

A couple months ago, he won a Kirt Cousins jersey at the casino and gave it to me for the Viking wall, created following a renovation project. It is now framed and, on the wall, and I will always think of him when I look at it. Love you dear brother.

Donna

Donna Larson - February 13, 2024 at 10:48 PM

DB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Don & Karen Boser - February 13, 2024 at 07:20 PM

LK

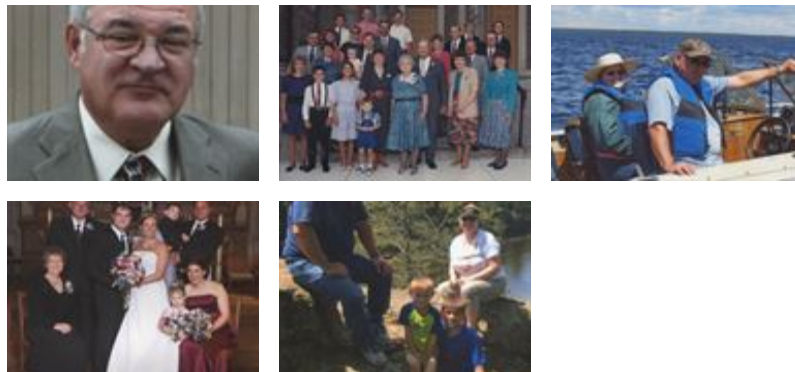
“ Lloyd K. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Floyd L. Mathiowetz.



Lloyd K. - February 13, 2024 at 02:35 PM



“ 94 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - February 13, 2024 at 10:44 AM

WT

“ *With Love, DDD Region 5 Volunteer Team purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Floyd L. Mathiowetz.*



With Love, DDD Region 5 Volunteer Team - February 13, 2024 at 08:46 AM

TO

“ *I loved seeing Floyd at the Ultimate table at the casino. His kindness and friendliness will be greatly missed, I too have never got the royal flush so from now on, I will keep on trying to get it for Floyd. Sorry for your loss!!*

Toni - February 13, 2024 at 01:07 AM

TF

“ *The Harms Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Floyd L. Mathiowetz.*



The Harms Family - February 12, 2024 at 04:10 PM

AS

“ *I was able to get to know Floyd a bit these past few years. He had a great sense of humor and strong desire to help others. He will be missed!*
Amie Schumacher



Amie Schumacher - February 12, 2024 at 03:03 PM

DC

“ *Denise Czech lit a candle in memory of Floyd L. Mathiowetz*



Denise Czech - February 12, 2024 at 02:41 PM

DC

Deepest sympathy to Floyd's family. Cherish the good memories. You're all in my thoughts and prayers.

Denise Czech - February 12, 2024 at 02:42 PM

CB

“ *Correna Carolyn Becker lit a candle in memory of Floyd L. Mathiowetz*



Correna Carolyn Becker - February 12, 2024 at 08:20 AM



“ *I loved seeing Floyd visiting us at the casino he always had a smile on his face and brought such fun. Floyd will be Missed by many of us* ❤️

Cheryl Benjamin - February 11, 2024 at 01:22 PM

DS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with all of Floyd's family* 🙏 *May he Rest in peace* 🙏🙏🙏



Dan & Connie Sullivan - February 09, 2024 at 07:24 PM

NG

“ *Sympathy to all of Floyds family. I had the pleasure of working with him for a fw years.. He was a smart kind man and had some good jokes to share when he would stop in at Hartmanns store. He was also an asset to the community. He will be missed. Rest in Peace Floyd.*

Natalie Gritzmacher - February 08, 2024 at 01:38 PM

JP

“ Deepest sympathy to Floyd’s family. He was a good man and will be missed. 🙏🙏🙏

Joe and Rosi Przybilla - February 07, 2024 at 08:19 PM

KT

“ Kelly Voltin Thomsen lit a candle in memory of Floyd L. Mathiowetz



Kelly Voltin Thomsen - February 07, 2024 at 07:27 PM

PH

“ Peggy Hoheisel sent a virtual gift in memory of Floyd L. Mathiowetz



Peggy Hoheisel - February 07, 2024 at 06:57 PM

TT

“ Theresa Tersteeg lit a candle in memory of Floyd L. Mathiowetz



Theresa Tersteeg - February 07, 2024 at 04:46 PM

TT

One of my favorite memories was from Easter when Floyd, with the help of Sara and Joe, made clues for an Easter Egg hunt throughout their yard. Separate color for each "hunter". Floyd seemed to have enjoyed the hunt as much as the kids!

Theresa Tersteeg - February 07, 2024 at 04:49 PM

SM

You are so right Theresa!

Sharon Mathiowetz - February 07, 2024 at 09:33 PM

KK

“*Kristie Kroll lit a candle in memory of Floyd L. Mathiowetz*



Kristie Kroll - February 07, 2024 at 03:20 PM