



Henry A. Niemeyer

September 12, 1932 - January 7, 2018

Henry A. Niemeyer, 85 year old resident of Long Prairie, MN passed away Sunday, January 7, 2018 at the Long Prairie Hospital in Long Prairie, MN. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, January 13, 2018, at the Swanville Bible Church in Swanville, MN with Rev. Mike Gunnon officiating. Burial will take place at Moses Dane Cemetery in Burtrum, MN. A visitation will be held from 4 to 7 P.M. on Friday and from 10 to 11 AM on Saturday at the church. Military Rites will be conducted by the Swanville American Legion Post #313.

Henry (Hank) Albert Niemeyer, son of Otto and Meta (Hansmann), was born September 12, 1932 one-half mile north of Long Prairie, Minnesota. In 1942 the family moved to Long Lake near Burtrum to establish their family farm. Following graduation from Swanville High School in 1951, Henry was on the farm and drove milk truck until 1953, when he was drafted into the Army. He served his time at Manheim, Germany until his discharge in the spring of 1955. He attended Telegraph School and worked in St Paul, Minnesota until completion of that training. On July 25, 1959 he married Leona Mae Palm of Swanville, Minnesota. After living briefly in Fargo, North Dakota and St Paul, they moved to Glendive, Montana in 1959, where he worked for the railroad as a telegrapher/wire chief, concluding his time in the material department in 1993. Henry also used his sheet metal skills working part-time for 25 years at Wagner's Heating and Plumbing.

During the years spent in Glendive, Henry and Leona welcomed and raised four children. Henry held various board positions at the First Congregational Church, U.C.C. and enjoyed reading westerns. Family time included deer hunting and the annual vacation to Minnesota to spend time with family, enjoying the farm, and fishing. A hobby farm south of Long Prairie (with green tractors and his Sheltie dog, Micah), was their pride and joy, along with the addition of five grandchildren. Days were enjoyed maintaining a large yard and garden, listening to old time music, ice fishing, playing cards, working jigsaw puzzles and meals with friends and family, until 2014 when the decision was made to move into town.

Henry was preceded in death by parents, Otto and Meta; sister, Huldena Roste; brothers, August, Marcus, Herman, Earl, Orville, Harlan and John. He is survived by sisters Ann Burger and Beatrice Rahn and sisters-in-law Doris, Geneva, and Lola.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife Leona; children, Nancy, (Terry) Pedersen, Sharon (Thomas) Neel, Gayle Zickuhr and Kevin (Jolee) Niemeyer; grandchildren, Breanne and Emily Neel, Chelsey and Kyle Niemeyer and Nicholas Zickuhr; along with numerous nephews, nieces, and cousins.

Cemetery Details

Moses Dane Cemetery

Burtrum, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 12. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Swanville Bible Church
301 Berkley Avenue
Swanville, MN

Visitation

JAN 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Swanville Bible Church
301 Berkley Avenue
Swanville, MN

Service

JAN 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Swanville Bible Church
301 Berkley Avenue
Swanville, MN

Tribute Wall



“ *Henry A. Niemeyer*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Travis Roste lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Travis Roste - January 13, 2018 at 04:06 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Henry A Niemeyer. God bless you all! Sincerely, Cindy and Craig Helm*



Cindy Helm - January 12, 2018 at 10:33 AM



“ *Lois And Sheila lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Lois and Sheila - January 11, 2018 at 10:44 AM

LS

“ *Lois And Sheila sent a virtual gift in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Lois and Sheila - January 11, 2018 at 10:43 AM

CH

“ *Cheryl Hyk lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Cheryl Hyk - January 10, 2018 at 09:28 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Henry A. Niemeyer.*



January 10, 2018 at 09:21 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Henry A. Niemeyer.*



January 10, 2018 at 06:14 PM

DW

“ *Delores Wolbeck lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Delores Wolbeck - January 10, 2018 at 06:02 AM

KN

“ *Kurt, Chris And Blake Niemeyer lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Kurt, Chris and Blake Niemeyer - January 09, 2018 at 09:49 PM

KW

“ *Kathy & Toddy Waller lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Kathy & Toddy Waller - January 09, 2018 at 01:37 PM

SC

“ *Shari And Tasha Cosenza-Mechels sent a virtual gift in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Shari and Tasha Cosenza-Mechels - January 09, 2018 at 01:11 PM

JM

“ *Jill (Roste) Miller lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Jill (Roste) Miller - January 09, 2018 at 12:16 PM

KM

“ *Kay And Luke Maher lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Kay and Luke Maher - January 08, 2018 at 08:02 PM

CD

“ *Carol And Fred Duke lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Carol and Fred Duke - January 08, 2018 at 07:08 PM

TW

“ *Tamie Wimmer lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Tamie Wimmer - January 08, 2018 at 04:26 PM

JS

“ *Joe And Dianne Staricka lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Joe and Dianne Staricka - January 08, 2018 at 03:21 PM

PC

“ *Pam Czech lit a candle in memory of Henry A. Niemeyer*



Pam Czech - January 08, 2018 at 09:06 AM