



John Waldoch Jr.

April 20, 1939 - June 8, 2025

John Waldoch Jr., 86 year old resident of Little Falls, MN passed away Sunday, June 8, 2025 at his home in Sobieski, MN. A funeral service will be held at 10:30 A.M. on Thursday, June 12, 2025 at the Living Hope Assembly of God Church in Little Falls, MN with Rev. Keith Thompson officiating. Burial will take place in the Minnesota State Veterans Cemetery north of Little Falls, MN. Visitation will be held from 9-10:30 A.M. on Thursday at the Living Hope Assembly of God Church in Little Falls, MN. Caring for John and his family is the LeMieur Funeral Home in Little Falls, MN.

John was born on April 20, 1939, at St. Gabriel's Hospital in Little Falls, Minnesota, to the late John Sr. and Rita (Meyers) Waldoch. He grew up in Little Falls and after graduating from high school, proudly enlisted in the United States Air Force. He served his country honorably from 1959 until 1963, when he was honorably discharged. On August 7, 1964, John was united in marriage to Barbara Moulton. The couple made their home in Little Falls, where they raised their family. John was employed at the Hennepin Paper Mill in Little Falls, dedicating over 33 years of hard work to the mill until its closure. Following that chapter of his life, John returned to school and attended Central Lakes Community College in Brainerd, Minnesota, where he pursued his interest in small gas engines. He found great enjoyment in working as a mechanic, particularly on small engines, a passion he shared with others. In his free time, John loved camping, talking about cars, and

spending quality time with his children. He had a deep affection for animals and especially cherished the companionship of his beloved dog. John will be remembered for his kind heart, his strong work ethic, and his devotion to family and friends.

He is survived by loving wife, Barbara Waldoch of Sobieski, MN; children, Kimberlee Waldoch of Randall, MN, Troy Waldoch of Little Falls, MN, and Lisa (Ed) Waldoch of Onamia, MN; siblings, Leonard (Rita) Waldoch of Sauk Centre, MN and Dolores Simmel of Chisago City, MN; grandchildren, Johnathon (Mariela) Scheerle, Brandon Waldoch, Dustin Bollin, Brady Waldoch, and Jordyn Waldoch; great-grandchildren, Axel, Oliver, and Sophia.

John was preceded in death by parents, John and Rita Waldoch and brother, Richard Waldoch.

Cemetery Details

Minnesota State Veterans Cemetery

15550 Highway 115
Little Falls, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 12. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Living Hope Assembly Of God
17389 Haven Road
Little Falls, MN

Funeral Service

JUN 12. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

BO

“ *Becki okerman*

Becki okerman - June 14, 2025 at 09:31 AM

ES

“ *He was a good man that loved his wife and kids...Eddie Seerup*

Eddie Seerup - June 13, 2025 at 08:42 PM

AD

“ *Ann Doble lit a candle in memory of John Waldoch Jr.*



Ann Doble - June 09, 2025 at 10:48 PM

RJ

“ *Rosie Janey lit a candle in memory of John Waldoch Jr.*



Rosie Janey - June 09, 2025 at 09:31 PM

RS

“ To Barbara & family of John waldoch . Our deepest condolences, sympathy, thoughts and prayers to the family in the great loss of John. John was a great man & wonderful friend. I worked with John at the Hennepin paper mill company for years. We had many & some good times. John always had a big smile for everyone, an a great guy to work with. John will Be sadly missed by all who knew him. John rest in piece with your Heavenly Father. God’s grace, mercy, wisdom, and Love to the family. God bless you all.



Richard R. Schneider - June 09, 2025 at 06:12 PM

JL

“ James L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Waldoch Jr..

James L. - June 09, 2025 at 05:52 PM

JL

“ James L. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John Waldoch Jr..



James L. - June 09, 2025 at 05:52 PM

GN

“ Greg and Francis Nelson purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of John Waldoch Jr..



Greg and Francis Nelson - June 09, 2025 at 04:39 PM