



## Lawrence Johnson

June 26, 1937 - September 17, 2006

Lawrence R. Johnson, 69 year old resident of Swanville, MN passed away Sunday, September 17, 2006 at his home in Swanville. Funeral Service will be held at 2:00 P.M. Friday, September, 22, 2006 at the Shelley-Gibson Funeral Chapel in Swanville, MN with Rev. Timothy Sumner officiating. Burial will be in Bearhead Cemetery in Pillsbury, MN. Friends may call from 5 to 8 Thursday, September 21, 2006 at the Shelley-Gibson Funeral Chapel in Swanville and from 1 to 2 P.M. Friday at the funeral home in Swanville.

Lawrence was born on June 26, 1937 in Dawson, MN to the late Lawrence and Lyla (Thompson) Johnson. He grew up in Hanley Falls, MN. Lawrence was united in marriage to Betty J. Paul on July 27, 1957 at Yellow Medicine Lutheran Church in Hanley Falls, MN. After completing high school he became a mechanic in Hanley Falls, MN. Lawrence also worked as a foreman in road construction across Minnesota later retiring to the Swanville area in 1974 pursuing farming. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, watching football and old western movies on TV. Lawrence is survived by his children, Kris (Harland) Kunz of Swanville, MN, David (Cindy) Johnson of Wheatland, WY, Wade (LaRae) Johnson of Browerville, MN, Kerrie Harms of Brainerd, MN and Larry (Stephanie) Johnson of York, PA; sisters, Viva (Jake) Inners of York, PA, Krystle (Lowell) Kinstler of Houston, MN and Charlotte (Brad) Leonard of Woodlake, MN; Nine grandchildren, Brad Veldkamp, Robert Veldkamp, Josh Johnson, Andrea Johnson, Dana Johnson, Kayla Johnson, Jacob Johnson,

Shawn Harms and Sydney Johnson; three great-grandchildren, Isaac and Jasmine Johnson and Alex Skillings. He is preceded in death by his wife, Betty Johnson; parents, Lawrence and Lyla Johnson; sister, Gerry Koster and cousin, Omar Johnson.

Serving as pallbearers were Brad Veldkamp, Robert Veldkamp, Shawn Harms, Josh Johnson, Andrea Johnson, Dana Johnson, Kayla Johnson and Jacob Johnson.

Arrangements are with the Shelley-Gibson Funeral Chapel in Swanville, MN  
(320)-547-2462

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **21.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

LeMieur Funeral Home of Swanville  
211 DeGraff Avenue  
Swanville, MN

## Visitation

SEP **22.** 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Swanville, MN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence Johnson*

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January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM