



Leon L. Flicker

November 28, 1930 - October 20, 2020

Leon L. Flicker, 89 year old resident of Pierz, MN passed away Tuesday, October 20, 2020 at the Pierz Villa in Pierz, MN. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 A.M on Monday, October 26, 2020 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN with Father Kenneth Popp officiating. Burial will be in the St. Joseph's Parish Cemetery in Pierz, MN. A visitation will be held from 3:00-6:00 P.M. on Sunday and from 9:30-10:30 A.M. on Monday all at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN. A Christian Mother's Rosary will be prayed at 3:30 P.M. Sunday evening at the Church. The family of Leon asks those attending to please respect and follow COVID-19 guidelines with regards to social distancing and please wear a face covering. Funeral arrangements are with the Shelley Funeral Chapel in Pierz, MN.

Leon was born November 28, 1930 in Pierz, Minnesota to the late Joseph and Eleanor Flicker. He grew up on the family farm near Pierz which he later purchased in 1962. He married Betty Wuellner on August 26, 1952 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN, where they lived and raised their eight children. Leon graduated from high school in Little Falls in 1948 and attended all class reunions up until the last one in 2017 (his 69-year class reunion). In 1976, Leon and Betty purchased Rollie's Bar in Pierz and renamed it "Flicker's Bar". They built up and ran a successful business until they sold in 1991. Flicker's Bar was a big part of Leon's life with many memories. After retiring from the bar business, Leon went on to help in the development/start-up of

Horizon Health. He worked as a Senior Advocate for the elderly in Morrison County and upon leaving he continued to volunteer for them in many different capacities. He did his first volunteer drive in March of 2011 and his last drive in March of 2017 (a total of 540 rides for the elderly). He lovingly cared for his wife, Betty, at their home until her move to Harmony House, where he would go regularly to read to the residents. They enjoyed it so much, and he cared deeply for all the residents. Leon was also very active in the Pierz Community as a member of the Pierz Commercial Club and the Pierz Lions. He was very instrumental in the planning and execution of the Pierz Oktoberfest activities. Every year he manually numbered all the Oktoberfest buttons for sale in the community. Leon was never one to miss out on a card game or a trip to the casino. He also enjoyed some of those card games in hotels when road tripping with mom, friends, and family. Leon was an avid Pierz Pioneer fan and attended as many games as he could.

Leon will be dearly missed by his eight children and their families, Keith (Hazel) of Nowthen, MN, Brenda (Ryan) Athman of Princeton, MN, Bruce (LeaAnn) of Pierz, MN, Julie (Gary) Athman of Lino Lakes, MN, Jean Flicker (Ken Allen) of Pierz, MN, Janice (Brian) Waytashek of Lino Lakes, MN, Denise Flicker (Todd Tisler) of Bemidji, MN, and Paul (Li) of White Plains, NY; as well as twenty grandchildren, sixteen great-grandchildren, with one on the way, one great-great-grandchild. Also survived by brother, Ardell Flicker of Rochester, MN; sisters, Myrna O'Callaghan of Sonoma, CA and Marilyn Schreiner of Pierz, MN.

Leon was preceded in death by his parents; wife Betty; brothers, Jerome, Gerald, and Floyd Flicker.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Cemetery

Pierz, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **25**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Visitation

OCT **26**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

OCT **26**. 10:30 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 Leon L. Flicker*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - October 23, 2020 at 04:41 PM

MM

What a beautiful tribute to Leon. He was such a strong supporter of Pierz and did so much to make it a good place to call home. He will be deeply missed.

Maureen Flicker McCarter

Maureen McCarter - October 26, 2020 at 06:39 PM



“ *Leon L. Flicker*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM

CB

“ *Correna Becker lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Correna Becker - October 30, 2020 at 11:06 AM

SW

“ *RIP Leon*



Stan and Dolores Wielinski - October 28, 2020 at 01:59 AM

RM

“ *Rick Meyer lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Rick Meyer - October 26, 2020 at 04:05 PM

RF

“ *I can remember way back, when I spent the summer on the farm working / playing. Riding pigs out the back door of the pig shed with Bruce and Keith! Don't tell Leon! But I think he knew!! Stacking bales in the barn loft, Or Tunnels to play in latter. Watching Bruce and Keith compete to see who could throw bales farther. I could never come close to where they were throwing them. But for all the summers I can still remember that summer a lot more then any other one.*

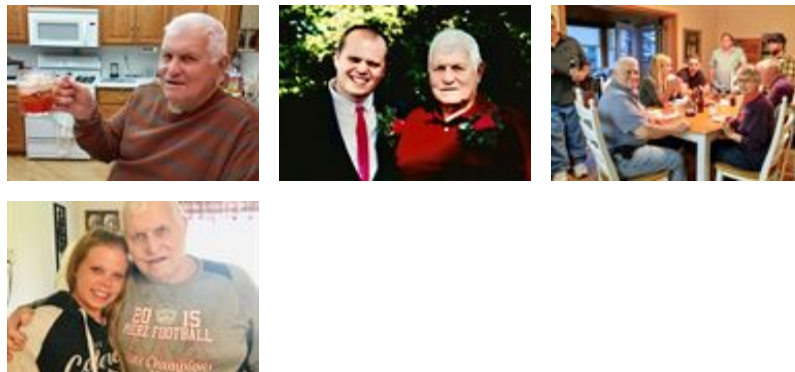
Thanks for the summer leon!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!And all the other GOOD memories that you made and were part of!!!

*We all will miss Ya.
Rick Flicker*

Rick Flicker - October 25, 2020 at 09:03 PM



“ 4 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - October 25, 2020 at 10:22 AM



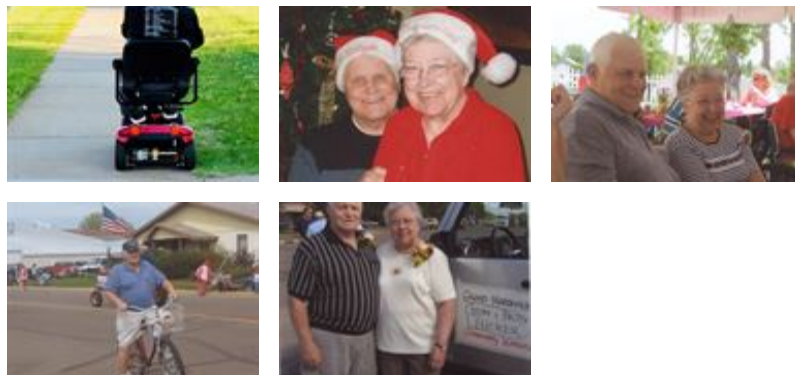
“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Leon L. Flicker.



October 23, 2020 at 05:55 PM



“ 45 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - October 23, 2020 at 04:38 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Leon L. Flicker.*



October 23, 2020 at 04:06 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Leon L. Flicker.*



October 23, 2020 at 12:38 PM



“ *Galen And Julie Otremba lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Galen and Julie Otremba - October 23, 2020 at 09:17 AM



“ *Our prayers for Leon's family. He will be missed, I enjoyed dealing cards to him over the years. Always such a kind man. Rod & Deanna OHotto*



Deanna OHotto - October 22, 2020 at 07:30 PM

JM

Our Sympathy & Prayers for Leon's family. Leon had a big heart when helping area seniors with Insurance questions and senior related issues as a Senior Advocate for Horizon Health. May you RIP Leon!!❤️

Judy Meyer - October 23, 2020 at 01:31 PM

PB

“ Patti & Todd Block lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker



Patti & Todd Block - October 22, 2020 at 07:27 PM

JK

“ Sending our love to the Flicker family.



James & Susan Kasper - October 22, 2020 at 06:55 PM

RC

“ Roger & Toni Clarin purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Leon L. Flicker.



Roger & Toni Clarin - October 22, 2020 at 04:24 PM

DR

“ *Dean & Paula Rocheleau lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Dean & Paula Rocheleau - October 22, 2020 at 01:05 PM

KT

“ *My thoughts and prayers for Janice and the rest of the family*



Kelly Voltin Thomsen - October 22, 2020 at 11:52 AM

MR

“ *Mary Jo Retka lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



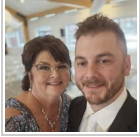
Mary Jo Retka - October 22, 2020 at 09:35 AM

HH

“ *Hannah Hiemenz lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



hannah hiemenz - October 22, 2020 at 09:29 AM



“ *Jill Guith lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Jill Guith - October 22, 2020 at 09:19 AM



“ *John And Darlene Preimrsberger lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



John and Darlene Preimrsberger - October 22, 2020 at 06:27 AM



“ *Trudee lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Trudee - October 21, 2020 at 11:25 PM



“ *Ken Virnig lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Ken Virnig - October 21, 2020 at 10:00 PM

DH

“ *Dennis & Janice Hoffman lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Dennis & Janice Hoffman - October 21, 2020 at 09:59 PM

LR

“ *Prayers and Condolences to the family, Leon was such a good man he will be missed by many. Sincerely Lynn and Lyle Rahn*



Lyle Rahn - October 21, 2020 at 09:52 PM

MW

“ *Mike & Pearl Wilson lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker*



Mike & Pearl Wilson - October 21, 2020 at 09:45 PM

JC

“ *Our deepest sympathy “ such a gentleman “ Mrs.Paul (Joyce) Crowder and Family a fellow Lion member.*



Joyce I Crowder - October 21, 2020 at 09:01 PM

RO

“ Condolences to the family a very wonderful person.



Romelle - October 21, 2020 at 08:43 PM

CB

“ Connie Banach lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker



Connie Banach - October 21, 2020 at 08:35 PM

PH

“ Peggy (LeRoy) Hoheisel lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker



Peggy (LeRoy) Hoheisel - October 21, 2020 at 05:00 PM

KK

“ Ken And Kathy Kloss lit a candle in memory of Leon L. Flicker



Ken and Kathy Kloss - October 21, 2020 at 04:48 PM