



## Lloyd E. Beseman

June 26, 1931 - December 21, 2015

Lloyd Beseman, 84 year old resident of Swanville, MN passed away Monday, December 21, 2015 at his residence. A Funeral Service will be held at 10 AM on Monday, December 28, 2015 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Swanville, with Pastor Kevin Zellers officiating. Burial will be at St. Peter's Lutheran Cemetery in Swanville. Visitation will be from 3 to 7 PM on Sunday, December 27th and from 9 to 10 AM Monday.

Lloyd Edward Beseman was born on June 26, 1931 in Swanville, Minnesota to Charles and Mary (Rahn) Beseman. He attended school in Swanville. Lloyd enjoyed his horses and dogs, and attending draft horse shows. He enjoyed the outdoors and going coon, coyote, and deer hunting, as well as picking strawberries. Lloyd was involved in witching water, and looked forward to his morning card games with June, and his daily trips to Uncle B's, sitting at the "Round Table", for coffee, cookies, cards and "smart" conversation. Lloyd's children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were his pride and joy, and he loved spending time with them, especially going to their ball games. Lloyd had a special gift to make friends wherever he was, whether it was in the grocery line or exploring the Amish country.

Lloyd is survived by his loving wife of 63 years, June; sister-in-laws, Annice (Richard) Thelander of Little Falls, MN; and Connie Runne of Rockford, IL; children, Connie (Richard) Mosack of Motley, MN; Carol Dold of Swanville;

Jeanne (Steve) Thieschafer of Swanville; Tom (Theresa) Beseman of Swanville; and John (Lori) Beseman of Swanville; grandchildren, Jay (Tara) Thieschafer, Jennifer (Chet) Hudalla, Janell (Josh) Schultz, Tracy (Mike) Chuba, Benjamin (Sarah) Mosack, Lori (Randy) Pekula, Amy (Chad) Primus, Matthew (Katey) Mosack, Kimberly (Ricky) Albertson, Elizabeth (Izaak) Schafer, Hannah (Kyle) Thieschafer, Alyssa (Zach) Beseman, Kalyn (Matthew) Beseman, Paige (Andrew) Beseman, Madison Beseman, Levi Beseman and Emily Beseman; 23 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; Charles and Mary; sisters, Eleanora and Angeline; and brothers, William, Irvin and Herbert; and grandson, Kenny Thieschafer.

Pallbearers will be Jay Thieschafer, Benjamin Mosack, Matthew Mosack, Levi Beseman, Chet Hudalla, and Michael Chuba.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Peter's Lutheran Cemetery

Swanville, MN 56382

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 27. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Peter's Lutheran Church - Swanville  
502 Berkey Avenue  
Swanville, MN

## Visitation

DEC 28. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter's Lutheran Church - Swanville  
502 Berkey Avenue  
Swanville, MN

## Service

DEC 28. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Peter's Lutheran Church - Swanville  
502 Berkey Avenue  
Swanville, MN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



**Lemieur Funeral Homes** - December 23, 2015 at 03:42 PM



“ *Lloyd E. Beseman*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Patti Eggerth lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



**Patti Eggerth** - December 27, 2015 at 08:38 PM



“ *The Dentists and All Team Members at Falls Court Dentists purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Lloyd E. Beseman.*



**The Dentists and All Team Members at Falls Court Dentists** -  
December 27, 2015 at 04:12 PM

BD

“ Lloyd loved it when I told him about how he reminded me of my dad, (even tho lloyd was 6 years younger.) He kept reminding me of that !!

*Same good jokes, same good stories, knew everyone and talked to everyone and loved the world.*

*Now the world and Swanville is missing a good man. Becky Dawson*

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**Becky Dawson** - December 27, 2015 at 02:08 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Lloyd E. Beseman.



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December 26, 2015 at 11:37 AM

MT

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you June and your family at the passing of Lloyd. He will be greatly missed in the Swanville and surrounding communities.  
*Loren and Mary Ann Thompson*



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**Mary Ann Thompson** - December 26, 2015 at 12:50 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lloyd E. Beseman.



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December 25, 2015 at 02:27 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lloyd E. Beseman.*



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December 24, 2015 at 10:02 AM



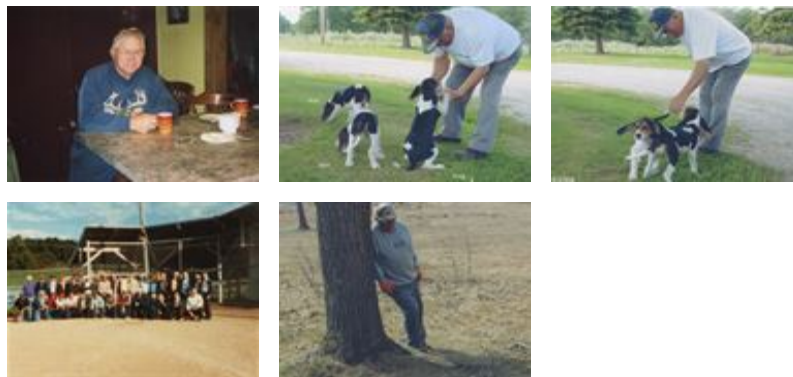
“ *Lloyd visited my dad a few times his last year. He always showed up with a smile on his face. They would sit and talk for a long time about the good old days. It was always a bright spot in his day. My condolences to the family. He was a good man and will be fondly remembered by many.*

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**Steven Koester** - December 23, 2015 at 10:04 PM



“ *54 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Lemieur Funeral Homes** - December 23, 2015 at 03:35 PM

DG

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the whole family. Lloyd was an amazing person and will be missed by all.*

*Byron, Denise Gill*



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**Denise Gill** - December 23, 2015 at 03:02 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Lloyd E. Beseman.*



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December 23, 2015 at 12:43 PM

TK

“ *Prayers and well wishes to the family and loved ones during this time. I have no doubt there are many amazing memories to share and focus on.*

*I have many memories from when I was a kid and my Dad (Pete) played softball with Lloyd. They sure knew how to have a good time!*

*Love from Tom and Gina in California.*

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**Tom Kircher** - December 23, 2015 at 10:56 AM

SJ

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all!  
John & Mary Hanson, Swanville.*



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**Sheri Johnson** - December 23, 2015 at 10:55 AM

SJ

“ *Prayers sent! Steve & Sheri Johnson, Upsala,  
MN*



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**Sheri Johnson** - December 23, 2015 at 10:43 AM

SO

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the whole family at this difficult  
time. May your wonderful memories sustain you  
Stick and Shirley Olson*

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**steve and shirley olson** - December 23, 2015 at 10:39 AM

LJ

“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to you June, and your family in the  
loss of a husband, father, grandfather, and terrific family man. I  
watched him witch water for our well, it was amazing. He had a  
special talent for witching. Lee enjoyed visiting with Lloyd every time  
he seen him uptown., Lloyd was a person who enjoyed everyone  
and everything. He had a tremendous love for his family and  
community.*

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**Lee & Bunny Johnston** - December 23, 2015 at 09:08 AM

MM

“ My favorite memories of Lloyd are from the days when he coached our women's softball team. He was a great coach. I loved his laugh! We always had so much fun! He will be missed!

Mary Miller - December 23, 2015 at 08:39 AM

LG

“ My family had the joy of riding around Swanville with Lloyd driving the team of big black horses a couple of weekends ago. Lloyd always had a twinkle in his eye and a smile on his face. He will be missed by many.



Lynette Gessell - December 23, 2015 at 08:09 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lloyd E. Beseman.



December 23, 2015 at 08:00 AM

JS

“ Every moment with grandpa was a treasure. I miss you so much. I love you grandpa❤️ I know when I get to heaven you will have a lot more stories to tell!



Janell Schultz - December 23, 2015 at 07:39 AM

Pam  
Moore

“ Pam Moore lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



Pam Moore - December 23, 2015 at 07:13 AM

GC

“ Gina And John Christopherson lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



Gina and John Christopherson - December 22, 2015 at 11:32 PM

SF

“ "Papa Lloyd" the whole town knew him by this name. There was not a kinder man in the whole world. I remember when Ben was little they had a day in school called "Donuts with Dad" Well, Ben's dad had to work, Grampa Bert was not well an Grampa Benny could not be there either. Ben and I asked Papa Lloyd to go. Even tho he has tons of his own grandkids he was more than willing to share this special day with Ben and that's just one example of the kind of man Lloyd was. RIP Papa Lloyd you are so loved an will be so missed.

Sandy Frieler - December 22, 2015 at 10:35 PM

BF

I will never forget the grin on his face when I came in from recess, he was a one in a lifetime kind of man!

Ben Frieler - December 23, 2015 at 04:59 AM

SF

“ *Sandy Frieler lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



Sandy Frieler - December 22, 2015 at 10:26 PM

JK

“ *Joey Kircher lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



joey kircher - December 22, 2015 at 09:51 PM

BP

“ *Bruce And Deb Pederson lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



Bruce and Deb Pederson - December 22, 2015 at 09:50 PM

BP

*Jeannie, Lori and all the family, we are sorry to hear of your loss and will hold you all in our thoughts and prayers.*

Bruce and Deb Pederson - December 22, 2015 at 09:52 PM

LP

*Thank you Deb!*

Lori Pekula - December 23, 2015 at 07:26 AM

JF

“ *Jerome And Mary Koetter And Family lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



Jerome and Mary Koetter and Family - December 22, 2015 at 09:37 PM

TB

“ *Tanya And Bryce Barthel lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



Tanya and Bryce Barthel - December 22, 2015 at 09:34 PM

 Becky Hillig

“ *Becky Hillig lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



Becky Hillig - December 22, 2015 at 09:18 PM

MH

“ *Mark And Cathy Hebig lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



Mark and Cathy Hebig - December 22, 2015 at 08:46 PM



“ *Judy Berger lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



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**Judy Berger** - December 22, 2015 at 08:18 PM

CE

“ *Collette And Vern Ehrenberg lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



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**Collette and Vern Ehrenberg** - December 22, 2015 at 08:08 PM

TF

“ *Prayers to all family and friends*

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**Todd & Shari Fruechte** - December 22, 2015 at 08:03 PM

SH

“ *Lloyd and June were so important to our parents Carl and Alma Peterson. They loved you very much and I'm sure are waiting for you in heaven Lloyd.*



*Susan and Dorothy, the Peterson girls.*

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**Susan Hoffman** - December 22, 2015 at 06:01 PM

SH

“ Susan Hoffman lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



Susan Hoffman - December 22, 2015 at 05:58 PM

SJ

“ Scott Jackson lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



Scott Jackson - December 22, 2015 at 04:41 PM

LW

“ LARRY AND LISA WIELINSKI lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



LARRY AND LISA WIELINSKI - December 22, 2015 at 01:44 PM



“ What can I say? Lloyd was such a great friend to so many. I remember all the softball games I played in with him as the coach...June pitching of course. Whenever I saw him, he affectionately called out "Hello Dummy", to which I replied, " Hey Ugly"! Oh how I am going to miss that. My heartfelt sympathy to all of you. God bless each of you.

Carol Johnson - December 22, 2015 at 01:05 PM

SK

“ June and Family, We,re so sorry to hear about Lloyd. He was the friendliest and nicest man around. Swanville and everyone that knew him will miss him very much. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. His sweet corn is the best! Sandy & Glenn Klimmek

Sandy Klimmek - December 22, 2015 at 12:59 PM

JS

“ Jean And John Schulte lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



Jean and John Schulte - December 22, 2015 at 12:12 PM



“ Jon Strandberg lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



Jon Strandberg - December 22, 2015 at 11:19 AM

RL

“ Royal D. Loven lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



Royal D. Loven - December 22, 2015 at 11:05 AM

HJ

“ *Harvey & Judy Johnson lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman*



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**Harvey & Judy Johnson** - December 22, 2015 at 10:44 AM

HJ

*Our deepest sympathy and prayers to the Beseman family. I remember all the softball games in Little Falls where he played ball with Dad. He will be greatly missed.*

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**Harvey & Judy Johnson** - December 22, 2015 at 10:51 AM

DF

“ *Thoughts and prayers to you all at this very difficult time. Many good memories with the Beseman boys. May Lloyd rest in peace.*



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**Dan & Connie Fenske** - December 22, 2015 at 06:22 AM

CB

“ *To the entire Beseman family: Thoughts and prayers to all of you from your friends in Iowa.  
"Death leaves heartache  
No one can heal  
Love leaves memories  
No one can steal"  
And boy do we know you have great memories!!  
With heartfelt sympathy  
Ron and Cathy Beaver and family*

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**Cathy Beaver** - December 21, 2015 at 11:39 PM

LP

“ Miss you like crazy grandpa! What a difference one day can make!!



Lori Pekula - December 21, 2015 at 11:23 PM

NC

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of your father & grandfather, Jeannie & Janell. Our prayers & thoughts are with you. Norman really enjoyed talking with Lloyd at the sr. center. He said he was so full of tales to tell. Sad day for you all. Norman & Annie Carlson

Norman & Annie Carlson - December 21, 2015 at 11:16 PM

DL

“ Jeannie, sorry to hear of the loss of your Father. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Duane & Pat Lentz



Duane & Pat Lentz - December 21, 2015 at 09:53 PM

SL

“ Stacy Larson lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



stacy larson - December 21, 2015 at 08:37 PM

MA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



**Matt** - December 21, 2015 at 07:30 PM

DV

“ Our heart felt sympathy and prayers for you all during this very difficult time. Hugs to you all! ~ Shawn & Denise Vogl

**Denise Vogl** - December 21, 2015 at 03:09 PM

MC

“ Mike & Denise Czech lit a candle in memory of Lloyd E. Beseman



**Mike & Denise Czech** - December 21, 2015 at 03:03 PM

MC

So sorry to hear of Lloyd's passing. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

**Mike & Denise Czech** - December 21, 2015 at 03:25 PM

DG

Jeanie so sorry to hear about your father, I was able to have coffee with him a few weeks ago in Swanville. I will always remember him, what a gentleman he was.

**Darrell Grams** - December 21, 2015 at 07:25 PM

JE

*Thank you Darrell*

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**jeanne** - December 22, 2015 at 09:50 PM

 Joe  
Duclos

*So sorry for your loss he will be greatly missed my thoughts and prayers are with your family*

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**Joe Duclos** - December 23, 2015 at 05:09 AM

DS

*our thoughts and prayers are with Lloyds family. what a great person. we miss his sense of humor no matter where we were he was always jolly and had a story to share. we will miss you at the Senior Center too. God Bless all of you. watch over us Lloyd we need your guidance.*

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**Dennis & Brenda Schmidt** - December 23, 2015 at 03:06 PM

SB

*Our Sympathy to all of you. We will hold you in prayers and thoughts...Sincerely, Dennis and Sue Bacon.*

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**Sue (Lambrecht) and Dennis Bacon** - December 25, 2015 at 02:05 AM

BK

*Lloyd was my good buddy too! We had a great time picking and teasing each other at the café and at card games. If Swanville had just a few more of those Lloyds we indeed would have had the best little town in the U S A..*

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**Bob Koetter** - December 25, 2015 at 03:26 PM