



Vernon O. Pearson

December 10, 1927 - June 24, 2021

Vernon O. Pearson, 93 year old resident of Little Falls, MN, passed away on Thursday, June 24, 2021 at Edgemont Place Assisted Living in Blaine, MN. A Funeral Service will be held at 11 AM on Tuesday, July 6, 2021 at First Lutheran Church in Little Falls, with Rev. Beth Pottratz officiating. Burial will be at Oakland Cemetery in Little Falls. Visitation will be from 10 to 11 AM Tuesday at the church.

Vern was born on the family farm in Todd County, MN on December 10, 1927 and married Dorothy Francis Slimmer on September 14, 1946. Vern worked at various places throughout his life but the time spent at National Bushing in Little Falls was his most memorable. He retired after 32 years of service in 1989. Vern and Dorothy loved to camp, fish, hunt, and snowmobile with friends and family. He loved to water ski and was still up on skis when he was 75. Family was always most important to him and after retirement, he said "even if you are an old guy like me, you just have to do some of the fun stuff with the grandkids," which Vern always did with enthusiasm. He was always the first one to pick up a bucket to start a water fight and never gave up, paybacks came when you were least expecting them.

Vern is survived by his son, Marsh (Trice) Pearson of Grasston, MN; grandchildren, Jennifer (Pearson) Carisch of Otsego, MN, Heather (Brandon) Gammon of Blaine, MN, Bryant (Robin) Doege of Little Falls, MN, Tony

(Kathy) Pearson of Lincoln, CA, Mike (Tami) Pearson of Moraga, CA; brothers, Lyle Pearson (Marie) of Brainerd, MN, Donnie Pearson (Alice) of Long Prairie, MN, Dave Pearson (Joanie) of Pillager, MN; sister-in-law, Joanne Pearson of Little Falls, MN; 16 great-grandchildren and 3 great-great-grandchildren.

Vern was preceded in death by his parents, Oscar and Ida Pearson; wife, Dorothy Pearson; son, Larry Pearson; granddaughter, Kelly Swiggum; brothers, Paul, Lloyd and Bud Pearson.

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

14820 138TH ST
Little Falls, MN 56345

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Lutheran Church - Little Falls
2100 Riverview Drive
Little Falls, MN

Funeral Service

JUL 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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2100 Riverview Drive
Little Falls, MN

Tribute Wall



“ *Vernon O. Pearson*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Vern (dad) was a fun loving man. I have fond memories of the days spent at north long lake camping and sitting around the campfire. He enjoyed water skiing and fishing with his sons and was always up for a good water fight. You never knew when a “get even “ dump in the lake was going to happen. Enjoy eternity with your loved ones dad.*

patricia pearson - July 07, 2021 at 09:52 AM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss Larry and family, Marsh and family. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Mike and Kathy (Rosty) Tomczik.

Memory I have to share is when we were kids, your parents and ours took us camping together. Big tent, at least it seemed big. Fun times at the lake.



Kathy Rosty Tomczik - June 28, 2021 at 09:47 PM