



Wayne M. Kronbeck

November 7, 1931 - November 16, 2011

Wayne was born November 7, 1931 in Little Falls, MN to the late Hans and Marie 'Hahn' Kronbeck. He attended school in Little Falls and graduated from Little Falls High School in 1949. Wayne entered the US Army in 1950 and served in Korea. He was awarded three Bronze Stars for bravery and was honorably discharged in 1953. Wayne worked in Minneapolis, MN until his father, Hans passed away. He returned to Freedom, MN to help his mother with the farm. He also worked at Crestliner Boats, Little Falls Granite Works and later at the Pierz Post Office. Upon the death of his mother, Wayne purchased the family farm and began milking cows and farming. Wayne was united in marriage to Dianne G. Moran in 1982 in Brainerd, MN. The couple farmed until 2006 when they sold the farm to relatives to keep it in the family and moved to Little Falls. Wayne had a great sense of humor and was always ready with a helping hand. He especially loved Dianne and his daughters. Wayne was a member of First Lutheran Church in Little Falls and the Little Falls VFW Post #1112.

Wayne is survived by his wife, Dianne; daughters, Sarah Kronbeck of Little Falls, MN and Gina Kronbeck of Brainerd, MN; brother, Ivar 'Kathy' Kronbeck of Little Falls, MN; sisters, Addie Kretzman of Brainerd, MN; Neva Abrahamson of Anoka, MN; Joyce Kronbeck of Little Falls, MN; Vera 'Jim' Doroff of Cushing, MN and Gloria Dungan of Anchorage, AK; brother and sister-in-law, Ron 'Sharon' Moran of Fort Ripley, MN.

Wayne was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Alan and Russell

Kronbeck; sisters, Inez Kronbeck and Lola Coulter.

Honorary Casketbearers will be Sandy Moran, Shirley VanDenheuvel and Shiela VanDenheuvel.

Casketbearers will be Jim Pietrowski, Tim Moran, Ron Moran, Ed Kronbeck, Dr. Ray Bayer and Jerome Valentine.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

LeMieur Funeral Home of Little Falls
214 2nd Street SE
Little Falls, MN

Visitation

NOV **21**. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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

Service

NOV **21**. 11:30 AM (CT)

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2100 Riverview Drive
Little Falls, MN

Tribute Wall



“ Wayne M. Kronbeck

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ So sorry to hear about your loss. Fathers play such an important role in our lives; your father had to have been so proud to have daughters as wonderful as each of you are! Prayers for comfort for you and your family.

Laurie##imported-begin##Laurie Thorson Schoeck##imported-end##

November 28, 2011 at 06:56 PM



“ Our prayers are with you at this difficult time.##imported-begin##Lesli Ball##imported-end##

November 19, 2011 at 07:09 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Wayne was a wonderful man who loved his family deeply and will be missed.##imported-begin##Pat Ferguson##imported-end##

November 18, 2011 at 11:29 PM



“ Dianne, Sarah, and Gina,
We are very sorry to hear about Wayne! Please know that we are thinking of you all and sending lots of prayers and hugs! Keep his memory alive and remember all of the good times you had together. Take care of each other!
Love,
Erin, Dale, Brady, Brielle, Bryce, and Bucky##imported-begin##Erin Harris##imported-end##

November 17, 2011 at 11:37 PM



“ Dianne and Family, My condolences, thoughts, and prayers go out to all of you at this time. May Wayne rest in the peace of Christ, and may God hold you in the palm of his hand.##imported-begin##Claudette Moran##imported-end##

November 17, 2011 at 06:16 PM



“ Good bye Uncle Wayne, you were dearly loved, ESPECIALLY when you teased us endlessly. Rest in Peace and say hi to my Ma and Dad!

Love, Rose##imported-begin##Rose Kronbeck##imported-end##

November 17, 2011 at 05:18 PM



“ Sarah & family, Sorry to hear of your dad's passing. Our thoughts & prayers are with all of you at this time. Take Care & may God's blessings shine on all of you at this difficult time.##imported-begin##Donn & Lynn St.Onge##imported-end##

November 16, 2011 at 08:19 PM



“ *Dear Dianne, Sarah & Gina,
My heart is breaking for you with the loss of your beloved husband
and Dad today. All of you are in our thoughts and prayers, as well
as your extended family. It is comforting to know that Wayne now
rests with the Angels in the presence of Our Lord and Savior, Jesus
Christ. Love, Pat*###imported-begin###*Pat Tedman*###imported-end##

November 16, 2011 at 06:35 PM