



## Bruce C. Erickson

March 3, 1941 - March 10, 2019

One week after his 78th birthday, Bruce passed away on Sunday, March 10, 2019, at the St. Cloud Hospital.

Bruce was born to Clifford and Bernice (House) Erickson on March 3, 1941, in Rochester, MN. Bruce was united in marriage with Lila Marie Sangl on December 24, 1975 at the Evangelical Free Church in Rose City. Having attained his Bachelor's degree, Bruce became a teacher. He also farmed with a dairy herd and, in later years, worked as an assembler at WalMart. Bruce loved living on the farm and tending his garden. In quiet moments, he enjoyed reading, especially books by Louis L'Amour! Bruce was a wonderful husband, father, brother, uncle, grandfather and great-grandfather. He had a knack for telling "dad" jokes, sharing a smile with everyone, and will be missed by all who knew him.

Preceding Bruce in death are his parents, Clifford and Bernice; son Steven Coyer; and son-in-law Bryan Lietz.

Surviving Bruce are his devoted wife, Lila; children, Russell (Juanita) Erickson, David Erickson, Debra (Dennis) Rux and Jennifer (Jeremy) Eckel, Brian Coyer, Rita (Kevin) Glebe, Sid Coyer, Laurie (Roger) Meredith, Anthony Coyer and Michael Coyer; numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren; along with a sister, Lois Erickson.



# Tribute Wall

GE

“ G. Jean Brott Elamon lit a candle in memory of Bruce C. Erickson



G. Jean Brott Elamon - March 15, 2019 at 02:12 PM

GS

“ Gary & Kay Swenson lit a candle in memory of Bruce C. Erickson



Gary & Kay Swenson - March 15, 2019 at 12:15 PM

GS

Lila and family, so sorry for your loss. Always enjoyed visiting with Bruce at the Brott reunion. Hugs to you all 🤗❤️

Gary & Kay Swenson - March 16, 2019 at 09:55 AM

LG

“ We love and miss you Grampa Bruce!  
- Love always, Lacey and Family



Lacey Gilles - March 15, 2019 at 08:55 AM

LK

“ Love Roger and Laurie and the kids. purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Bruce C. Erickson.



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**Love Roger and Laurie and the kids.** - March 14, 2019 at 09:27 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Bruce C. Erickson.



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March 13, 2019 at 09:47 AM

LS

“ Lea Snyder lit a candle in memory of Bruce C. Erickson



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**Lea Snyder** - March 12, 2019 at 11:19 AM

MA

“ I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of Bruce, also known as Deb's Dad...and whom I've always called Dad too. Last time I visited with him and Mom was at Deb's wedding. He had hugs & kisses for me too and made me feel just like one of the family. He was always hugging, kissing or holding Mom's hand...what an inspiration for a marriage. I will never forget his sense of humor and his love for his family. He was a very special man and he will be missed by everyone. My prayers and thoughts are with you during this time.  
Marcia Anderson, Fargo ND



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**Marcia Anderson** - March 11, 2019 at 05:20 PM