



Larry "Corky" Anderson

August 23, 1936 - January 20, 2013

Services for Larry "Cork" Anderson will be held on Friday, January 25, 2013 at the Christian & Missionary Alliance Church in Verndale at 11:00 a.m. Friends may call at the Johnson-Schuller Chapel in Wadena on Thursday, January 24, from 5:00-8:00 p.m. and at the church on Friday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of service. Surrounded by his family, Larry passed away at the age of 76, on January 20, 2013 at his home in Verndale.

Larry "Cork" Allen Anderson was born on August 23, 1936 to Clarence and Emma (Davis) in Verndale, MN. He was united in marriage with Ruth Neuschwander on July 6, 1957 at the United Methodist Church in Verndale. They made their home in in the area where Cork was a business owner for 25 years and drove school bus for over 51 years. He belonged to the National Guards (14 years), the Lions Club (46 years), volunteer fire department (23 years), along with being a charter member of the Wadena Elks Club, Lakewood Health Foundation Board and Methodist Church Board. He used his free time fishing, hunting and as an avid sports fan. He loved spending time with his granddaughters and family, morning coffee gossip with friends, and time at his cabin on Big Pine Lake. He loved his hunting shack and appreciated nature while in the woods.

Everyone who met Corky never forgot him. He was always willing to help anyone. He especially loved to pick-on and tease people, almost as much as

telling his huge fish stories!

Cork was preceded in death by his parents Clarence and Emma "Tootie"; and infant son Kevin Allen Anderson.

Cork is survived by his loving wife Ruth; daughters Sandee Anderson of Minneapolis and Michelle (Chuck) Goddard of Verndale; granddaughters Alexandra, Ashley, Kristin and Andreana & great-granddaughter Brooke (the love of his life!); brother Roland of Staples; brother-in-law & sisters-in-law Jim & Janice, and Barb Neuschwander; along with several nieces & nephews.

Honorary pallbearers will be Roger Anderson, the members of the Verndale Lions Club, and Verndale Fire Department. Serving as pallbearers will be , Rodney Anderson, Brad Anderson, Davin Anderson, Mark Neuschwander Scott Neuschwander, Gary Neuschwander and Rick Finn.

Burial will be in Greenlawn Cemetery in Verndale.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Verndale Dollars for Scholars or the American Diabetes Association.

Cemetery Details

Green Lawn Cemetery

16277 120th Street
1st Ave./ Co Rd 104 (1 mile west of Verndale)
Verndale, MN 56481

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **24**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Johnson-Schuller Chapel
205 4th Street Southwest
Wadena, MN 56482
(218) 631-3632

Visitation

JAN **25**. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Verndale Alliance Church
109 Brown St. NW
Verndale, MN 56481

Service

JAN **25**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Verndale Alliance Church
109 Brown St. NW
Verndale, MN 56481

Tribute Wall



“ Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - January 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Cork was the best that's ever been!! He drove my school bus from 3rd grade until I started driving. Then every morning me and a couple of friends would meet at his gas station before school for a bottle of mountain dew. He would let us charge gas, never harping to get paid. He let me and a couple of friends use his cabin on Big Pine one weekend. What a blast. Thanks for everything Corky, you were truly one of a kind. And thanks to Ruth also she made my school years so much more tolerable than they would have been without her (and Lois). You two were synonymous with Verndale. We were so much richer having known you both!!

Dave Fisher - March 26, 2016 at 08:58 AM

JN

“ Ruth and family. Hope this one goes through. We have so many wonderful memories. Our love and prayers are with you. Your family Jim and Jan



Jim and Jan Neuschwander - February 01, 2013 at 07:46 AM

MS

“ Maggie Sundby lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Maggie Sundby - January 25, 2013 at 11:46 AM



“ Corky was such a fun guy to have as our bus driver...always smiling and teasing. Sending our sympathy....Ted & Mary Ellen (Cottrell) Derby

Mary Derby - January 24, 2013 at 06:37 PM

MD

“ Mary Ellen Derby lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Mary Ellen Derby - January 24, 2013 at 06:32 PM

BH

“ Brent & Cheryl Hahn lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Brent & Cheryl Hahn - January 24, 2013 at 05:54 AM

AN

“ *Albert And Trudy Neuschwander lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Albert and Trudy neuschwander - January 23, 2013 at 04:49 PM

DB

“ *Denise Bubeck lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Denise Bubeck - January 23, 2013 at 02:18 PM

DB

I am so sorry Ruth, Sandee, and Michelle. I have so many wonderful memories of your dad he was the best!! Blessings and prayers to each of you! Lots of Love, Denise (Gordon) Bubeck

Denise Bubeck - January 23, 2013 at 02:21 PM

JL

My prayers are with you Ruth. I have wonderful childhood memories of you both. You made our time at the lake much more fun. Cork was an amazing man and will be missed.

Janice (Provo) Lennox - January 23, 2013 at 08:25 PM

OL

“ *Officers & Members Of Wadena Elks Lodge lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Officers & Members of Wadena Elks Lodge - January 23, 2013 at 11:02 AM

MB

“ *Marlys (Dahlavng) Bratteli lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Marlys (Dahlavng) Bratteli - January 23, 2013 at 10:00 AM

LT

“ *Lee And Linda Tarrell lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Lee and Linda Tarrell - January 23, 2013 at 08:31 AM

JH

“ *Jody (Derby) Holmwig lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Jody (Derby) Holmwig - January 23, 2013 at 08:22 AM

JH

I have lots of wonderful memories of spending at the Anderson house and lake cabin and Cork always teasing me. Thanks Cork for all the fun times! Ruth, Sandee and Michelle, so sorry for your loss. Love to you all! Jody (Derby) Holmwig

Jody (Derby) Holmwig - January 23, 2013 at 08:26 AM

PL

“ Pat Lorentz lit a candle in memory of Larry
"Corky" Anderson



Pat Lorentz - January 22, 2013 at 10:28 PM

LS

“ Len Siegler lit a candle in memory of Larry
"Corky" Anderson



Len Siegler - January 22, 2013 at 10:02 PM

SS

“ Sally Schaffhausen lit a candle in memory of
Larry "Corky" Anderson



Sally Schaffhausen - January 22, 2013 at 10:00 PM

DH

“ He was the best Bus Driver any family ever had. When you were
part of his route he never forgot you. I will miss his welcoming smile.

Deanna Hall - January 22, 2013 at 09:23 PM

RA

“ Roger And JoAnn Anderson lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Roger and JoAnn Anderson - January 22, 2013 at 08:52 PM

CN

“ Christine (Tina) Neuschwander lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Christine (Tina) Neuschwander - January 22, 2013 at 08:34 PM

TN

Arvid learned SOOO much hunting from his Uncle Corky...Memories were shared to sooo many... and even those stories will continue to generations beyond....

Tina Neuschwander - January 22, 2013 at 08:40 PM

BD

“ Bob And Kathy Derby lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Bob and Kathy Derby - January 22, 2013 at 08:32 PM



“ Terri Wutzke lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Terri Wutzke - January 22, 2013 at 08:32 PM



“ My heart goes out to Corky's family. What a guy he was. He befriended myself and husband like we were old friend. Love to tease back and forth, and talk fishing with Ray. We will miss seeing him at Yesteryears. I did not know him for very long, but he did leave a print on my heart. May God's word be comforting at this time. Sandy and Ray South

Sandra K. South - January 22, 2013 at 07:02 PM



“ Mary Kay Smith lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Mary Kay Smith - January 22, 2013 at 06:04 PM



From all of us, Mary Kay, Amanda Lenz, Christine Neuschwander, Jake Neuschwander and their families.

Mary Kay Smith - January 22, 2013 at 06:07 PM

RK

“ Ronda, Jack, Tori And Haylea Kern lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Ronda, Jack, Tori and Haylea Kern - January 22, 2013 at 12:19 PM

JK

“ Jack,Ronda, Tori And Haylea Kern lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Jack,Ronda, Tori and Haylea Kern - January 22, 2013 at 12:18 PM

JN

“ Jim & Jan Neuschwander lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Jim & Jan Neuschwander - January 22, 2013 at 10:57 AM

LT

“ Lynette Terveer lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Lynette Terveer - January 22, 2013 at 08:52 AM

KW

“ Keith & Tammy Waln lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Keith & Tammy Waln - January 22, 2013 at 08:41 AM

PL

“ Pat Lorentz lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Pat Lorentz - January 21, 2013 at 10:37 PM

TP

“ our thoughts and prayers are with you ruth and your family

tom, bernice and adam pickar



thomas and bernice pickar - January 21, 2013 at 07:24 PM

AS

“ Amanda (Finck) Snyder lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Amanda (Finck) Snyder - January 21, 2013 at 07:15 PM

SL

“ Steve, Sherrie, Taylor And Peyton Lorentz lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Steve, Sherrie, Taylor and Peyton Lorentz - January 21, 2013 at 07:12 PM

SL

“ Steve, Sherrie, Taylor And Peyton Lorent lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Steve, Sherrie, Taylor and Peyton Lorent - January 21, 2013 at 07:11 PM

GS

“ Gene, Tami, Drew And Taylor Schwartz lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Gene, Tami, Drew and Taylor Schwartz - January 21, 2013 at 06:57 PM

CD

“ Carol Derby lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Carol Derby - January 21, 2013 at 06:39 PM

MW

“ *Myron & Karen Winkelman lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Myron & Karen Winkelman - January 21, 2013 at 06:15 PM

KA

“ *Kim Anderson lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Kim Anderson - January 21, 2013 at 05:07 PM

BB

“ *Barb Bruce Brown lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Barb Bruce Brown - January 21, 2013 at 04:36 PM

BS

“ *Cork was my bus driver during my years of school at Verndale. He was such a character and was such a tease. He would usually close the bus door on me when I tried to get on the bus at the end of the day. I really enjoyed him. Barb Seaton*

Barbara Seaton - January 21, 2013 at 04:29 PM

LC

“ *Louis, Tina, Abby And Cody lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Louis, Tina, Abby and Cody - January 21, 2013 at 03:48 PM

LR

“ *Lisa Randall lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



lisa randall - January 21, 2013 at 03:26 PM

SN

“ *Cork was such a dear friend and neighbor to us at Big Pine Lake. He will be truly missed.*

sharon & jim Neuerburg - January 21, 2013 at 02:56 PM

SN

“ *Sharon & Jim Neuerburg lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



sharon & jim Neuerburg - January 21, 2013 at 02:52 PM

JJ

“ Jayson And Jacob lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Jayson and Jacob - January 21, 2013 at 01:47 PM

JP

“ Jay And Jackie Perius lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Jay and Jackie Perius - January 21, 2013 at 01:46 PM

LD

“ Lane And Donna sent a virtual gift in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Lane and Donna - January 21, 2013 at 12:53 PM

RA

“ Rita Anderson lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson



Rita Anderson - January 21, 2013 at 12:17 PM

DH

“ *Diane-Larry Hahn sent a virtual gift in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Diane-Larry Hahn - January 21, 2013 at 12:13 PM

JN

“ *Jeff And Cherri Neuschwander lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Jeff and Cherri Neuschwander - January 21, 2013 at 11:42 AM

GK

“ *Gene And Sandy Kapphahn lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Gene and Sandy Kapphahn - January 21, 2013 at 11:06 AM

LH

“ *Larry And Diane Hahn lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Larry and Diane Hahn - January 21, 2013 at 10:57 AM

MR

verndale lost the best, his memory will be in my heart forever. Margie Rah

Marjorie Rach - January 21, 2013 at 11:35 AM



“ *Ruth, so very sorry to learn of Cork's passing. I enjoyed chatting with him last summer.... he still had that awesome grin and the Cork sense of humor! Hold on to those special memories of that great guy! Hugs!*

Sandee (Seaton) Byrd

Sandee (Seaton) Byrd - January 21, 2013 at 10:47 AM



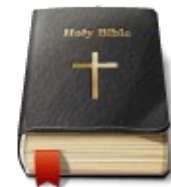
“ *Sandee (Seaton) Byrd lit a candle in memory of Larry "Corky" Anderson*



Sandee (Seaton) Byrd - January 21, 2013 at 10:45 AM

JS

“ *Corky was a good guy and a good friend. Although we were in the same business, I never considered him a competitor, only a friend. we had a lot of fun over the years at the Elks Club. Rest in peace old buddy, see you when I get there. Save one for me.*



Jim Stoneman - January 21, 2013 at 08:42 AM