

## LaVern Wood

April 2, 1931 - February 14, 2016

The funeral service for LaVern E. Wood, of Wadena, will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, February 19, at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Wadena with Pastor Nate Loer officiating. Visitation will be held on Thursday from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Johnson-Schuller Chapel in Wadena, and at the church on Friday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of service. With family at his side, LaVern, age 84 , passed away on February 14, 2016, at the Lakewood Health System Care Center in Staples, MN.

LaVern was born to Earl and Violet (Davison) Wood on April 2, 1931, in Hewitt, MN. He served as a Private 1st Class in the U. S. Army during the Korean Conflict until his honorable discharge April 23, 1954. He married the love of his life, Marlys Marie Lage on November 17, 1955, at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Bartlett Township. For a short time, they lived in the Twin Cities, before moving to a farm west of Hewitt where they farmed until retirement and then relocated to Wadena. The last two years he resided at the Lakewood Care Center in Staples.

LaVern enjoyed watching birds and wildlife, and was a talented woodworker. He especially loved to spoil his grandchildren and always looked forward to being a “Great-Grandpa”. His favorite saying to his grandchildren was, “You’re at Grandpa’s house, you can have whatever you want.” and to the kids that meant a trip to the candy dish and a pop out of the refrigerator!

LaVern was preceded in death by his wife Marlys on August 7, 2014; son Lee in 1974; parents Earl and Violet; and brother Vernon Wood.

He will be lovingly missed by his son Glen (Donna) of Wadena; grandchildren Andrew Wood, Emily Wood, Dustin Syverson, Scott Syverson and Kristina (Matt) Pearson; great-grandchild Jayden Lee Wood; brother Alvin Wood of St. Paul; along with a host of relatives and friends.

Serving as pallbearers will be Andrew Wood, Emily Wood, Dustin Syverson, Scott Syverson, Jay Leaderbrand and Dale Salge.

Burial will be in the Hewitt Cemetery, Hewitt, MN.

# Cemetery Details

## Hewitt Cemetery

Hewitt, MN 56543

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Visitation

FEB 19. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church - Wadena  
403 2nd St. SE  
Wadena, MN 56482

## Service

FEB 19. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church - Wadena  
403 2nd St. SE  
Wadena, MN 56482



# Tribute Wall



“ Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of LaVern Wood



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**Schuller Family Funeral Homes** - February 17, 2016 at 04:33 PM

MS

“ Mike And Lea Snyder lit a candle in memory of LaVern Wood



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**Mike and Lea Snyder** - February 19, 2016 at 12:43 PM

MS

“ Marvin & Kim Stokes lit a candle in memory of LaVern Wood



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**Marvin & Kim Stokes** - February 18, 2016 at 07:01 PM

HS

“ Heidi Stokes lit a candle in memory of LaVern Wood



Heidi Stokes - February 18, 2016 at 07:31 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of LaVern Wood.



February 17, 2016 at 06:39 PM

DH

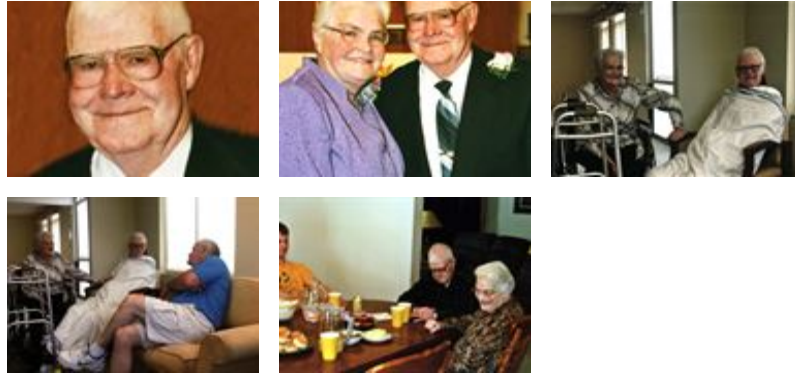
“ Glenn, Donna and family, so sorry to hear of the passing of your dad/grandpa. LOVE the pictures!! I don't think I have ever seen pictures of Aunt Violet and Uncle Earl so young!! and the pictures with Lee just made my heart smile. Both of your parents reunited with their first born...some day I will get there! For now we must hold tight to the memories. Keep them close to your heart always. God Bless.

Deb Honer & family

Deb Honer - February 17, 2016 at 06:32 PM



“ 51 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Schuller Family Funeral Homes** - February 17, 2016 at 04:29 PM

JB

“ *Jack & Lucille Belch lit a candle in memory of LaVern Wood*



**Jack & Lucille Belch** - February 17, 2016 at 11:29 AM

TH

“ *Glen,*

*Sorry for your loss. I saw your Dad when I was visiting my mom at Lakewood.*

*Tim Hallstrom*

**Tim Hallstrom** - February 16, 2016 at 02:43 PM

MS

“ *Mike Stokes lit a candle in memory of LaVern Wood*



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**Mike Stokes** - February 15, 2016 at 10:17 PM