



Winfred Johnson

October 31, 1917 - June 18, 2009

Winfred “Ole” Warren Johnson was born on October 31, 1917 to George and Lettie (Rasmussen) Johnson in Henning, MN. He passed away on June 18, 2009, at age 91, in the Lakewood Care Center in Staples. Ole was united in marriage with Dorothy Mildred Borchers on February 6, 1942 in South Dakota. He worked as a manager at the Astro Aluminum Heat Treating Plant. Ole spent 37 years in Deer Creek and 35 years in California, before retiring and moving to the Deer Creek and Wadena area for his last 20 years. He enjoyed fishing, Twins baseball, “inventing”, and working in his yard. Ole was preceded in death by his parents, George and Lettie; his brothers, Raymond, Gerald, and Douglas; and sisters, Ruby Anderson, Lucille Hamilton, and Francis Tellock. He is survived by his loving wife, Dorothy; son Mark of CA; daughter Mary Ellen Johnson of IL; 3 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren; and his sister, Olive Peterson of Henning. Memorial services were held on Tuesday, June 23, 2009 at 2:00 PM in the Trinity Lutheran Church in Deer Creek with Pastor Gunard Heikkila officiating. Interment was in the Inman Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dorothy and Family,
I wanted to let you know that you're in my thoughts and prayers. Ole was such an amazing man and he will be greatly missed. I always enjoyed coming over to your house for treats and conversation. I remember how Ole did such a great job always taking care of the lawn. I loved watching him cruise around on his lawn mower. I loved even more when he was done and I could run over and chat his ear off.

Kate (Friedrich) Burak - June 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ Always good, always kind, will be well remembered with love.

Jane Hobson - June 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM