



Arnold E. Johnson

August 19, 1928 - July 11, 2014

Arnold E. Johnson, at the age of 85, passed away on July 11, 2014 in his home, surrounded by his loved ones. He was born on August 19th, 1928 in his home in Pecatonica, IL to Oscar and Ethel (Eckburg) Johnson. He married the love of his life, Joan H. Carlson, on a beautiful afternoon, August 28th, 1954, in Rockton, IL. Arnold was a member of the U.S. Army, where he reached the rank of sergeant and served 2 years in the Korean War. Following his service, he worked briefly as a carpenter. Arnold and Joan purchased a farm in Avon, WI in 1956. They were at this farm for 20 years. In 1977 they purchased their current farm in Brodhead, WI where they then farmed for another 36 years. Last year Arnold was still planting beans and corn in his beloved tractor and combining in the fall. Arnold enjoyed camping, traveling, going out to eat, dancing, playing cards, playing Sudoku, and spending time with family and friends. Arnold was a member of the 196th Field Artillery Battalion, American Legion, Moose Lodge, and the Brodhead United Methodist Church. Arnold is survived by his wife Joan; children, Rodney (Betty) Johnson, Susan Dodge, Randy (Kim) Johnson, all of Brodhead, Roger (Cheri) Johnson, Juda, WI; a brother, Frank (Judy) Johnson, Pecatonica, IL; 15 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, daughter Nancy, and a son-in-law Mike. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, July 17, 2014, at the United Methodist Church, Brodhead, WI with Pastor Krystal Goodger officiating. Burial will be in the Durand Cemetery, Durand, IL. Visitation will be held from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m.,

Wednesday, at the D.L. NEWCOMER FUNERAL HOME, BRODHEAD, WI. A memorial fund will be established. The family wishes to thank Monroe Hospice, Hospice volunteers and Preferred Living staff for their wonderful care and dedication.

Tribute Wall

LM

“ Our deepest sympathy to all of Arnie's family during this difficult time.
May all your good memories of him stay in your hearts for evermore.
God bless you.

Larry and Mary Malcook - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

JB

“ My deepest sympathy to the family. I remember Arnie as a good, hardworking man with a great smile. May you be at peace and remember happier times.

Janet Green Bartz - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

CR

“ *SPATHIPHYLLUM* was sent by Laube Family. To The Arnie Johnson Family,
Arnie was my best friend and I will remember and loved time spent with him. Pauline and I loved getting together with Arnie and Joan. We played cards, went out dancing and other things we did together. Ray Laube

Carol Roskos - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

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“ *FEATHERY PALM PLANT* was sent by The Ray Laube Family. Remembering our families spending good times together and a special man that always had a smile and a hug. Arnie will be missed a great deal. The Laube Families of Gary & Brenda Laube, Carol (Laube) Roskos, Ken Laube Family & Barb (Laube) Lemons

Carol Roskos - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

SF

“ Dear Kim and Randy, so sorry to hear of your loss. We will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers

Steve and Laurie Field - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

J(

“ Deepest sympathy to you all. So glad we got to see all of you at Mom's funeral or at our high school reunion. I will always remember the good times are families had together, dancing, camping & going out to eat at Shakey's. Arnie was a good man and will be missed. May you take comfort in all the happy memories.

Julie Pfister (Meythaler) - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

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“ My condolences to all your family. I remember all the special times my parents and siblings had with Arnie and Joan. I heard all the tales of their escapades dancing, camping and just going out to dinner. May the family be comforted by the memories.

Sandy (Meythaler)Miller - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

WM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this saddened time. Memories will get you through.

Wanda (Maurer) McLain - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

DP

“ My sincere sympathy to the entire family. I enjoyed Arnie's friendship and working for him for many years. My prayers are with you.

Dean Pawlisch

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DB

“ SPATHIPHYLLUM was sent by Debbie Burkheimer. You were loved and you will be missed...

Debbie, Jamie and Tyson Burkheimer Families

Debora Burkheimer - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

JT

“ To the Johnson family
JR & I want to send our sympathies to you at this difficult time...we always enjoyed Arnold whenever we would see him, whether it be at the Moose or at the RV business....he was such a kind person. He will be missed.

JR & Dee Tofte - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM

BE

“ Our sympathy to you all at the death of your dad. I still remember you being neighbors down in Sugar Valley and that you had salamanders at your house. I thought they were really neat.

Brenda (Krogwold) Simeth and Effie - May 10, 2021 at 11:15 AM