



Calvin Davis Wickline

September 2, 1931 - December 25, 2024

Calvin Davis Wickline, age 93, of Brodhead, WI passed away 12-25-2024 from an infection at Mercy Hospital Janesville, WI. He was born September 2, 1931 in Beckley, Raleigh County, West Virginia the son of Samuel Price Wickline and Lettie Belle (Fleshman) Wickline. In 1949 he met his wife Margaret Jean Candler at the local theater in Rich Creek and they married January 24, 1950 in Pearisburg, VA celebrating almost 75 years together. In 1954 they moved to Wisconsin after being laid off at the Radford Arsenal. This brought them to Oregon, WI, then New Glarus, WI where he became Chief of Police in New Glarus on June 1, 1957. Later moving to Brodhead, WI in 1962 becoming Brodhead's Chief of Police until 1976, then Undersheriff in Green County, WI. and later back to Brodhead as a Chief Deputy until his retirement in 1994. Calvin also served on the Green County Board of Supervisors for many years and Brodhead's Mayor from 1996-1998. Through the years we have heard from many on the impact he made in their lives with his small-town common-sense attitude in keeping our streets a great place to live. Dad taught himself to play guitar in his younger years. He and a couple buddies would play various places on Saturday nights. Calvin was a member of the Congregational UCC Church serving the church in many functions from Council President to volunteering with the church's needs. He also built a cross in the 60's that is still hanging in the church's Fellowship Hall. Cal and Jean enjoyed many trips with friends to various places in the United States thru the years, but back home to visit family was their annual trip.

Those mountains were his home. He loved telling stories of his childhood. His family was so important to him and he loved them deeply. He was so proud of his 4 children, Connie (Bill) Peterson, Beloit, WI, Cynthia (Jim) Streuly, Brenda (Randy) Fowler, and David (Linda) Wickline, from Brodhead. Besides his wife Jean and children, he is survived by 9 Grandchildren, Karla (Bobby) Jurado TX, Lisa (Todd) Sauer, Brodhead, Audra (Phillip) Anderson, Edgerton, Curtis (Angel) Streuly, Brodhead, Greg (Krista) Streuly, Ixonia, Jennifer (Justin) Kenney, Brodhead, Billy Peterson, Brodhead, Clayton Calvin (Nicole) Fowler, Brodhead, and Aaron (Cassidy) Wickline, Shullsburg. 25 Great Grandchildren, 10 Great-Great Grandchildren and one on the way. One sister Betty Capadona, Madison, WI. And many nieces and nephews. Calvin is predeceased by his parents, brothers, Raymond, Howard, Carlyle, and Fred Gravely, and Leroy Wickline, sisters Jessie Miller, Almira Terry, Lucille Wodke, and a granddaughter Leslie Chamblee on 12-29-2023. Please join us in celebrating his life on January 10, 2025 at the Congregational UCC Church E201 23rd St., Brodhead, WI 53520. Visitation at 10:00 a.m., Service at 11:00 a.m. The family would like to Thank you for your prayers and messages during this time. We all felt your love.

Tribute Wall

EK

“ *Erin Kettle lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Erin Kettle - January 10, 2025 at 04:32 PM

KJ

“ *So many stories come to mind when I think about Grandpa. He was the heart of our family. The quiet guiding light to us all. His smile lit a room, and he was always there to talk, listen, share a meal, or provide a shoulder. He was a man of God and always willing to show grace and forgive others. He was a man of honor. Serving his family, community, church, and God. When I got to sit with him in the hospital during his last week I was reminded of his strong faith when I looked over at him with his hands together in prayer while he was sleeping. I will treasure all our talks, family gatherings, time, etc. He loved his family, and he loved with all his heart! He is our hero now and always. Now he is also our guardian angel. Love you Grandpa!!*



Karla, Bob, and David Jurado

Karla Jurado - January 09, 2025 at 09:22 PM

DK

“ *My Uncle Cal was one of the best men I ever knew. He loved his family and he let me be one of his family when I needed one. I was blessed to have him in my life. 93 years young.*

Dixie Kraemer - January 09, 2025 at 02:31 PM

KS

“ Karin and Doug Smith purchased the Amazing Arboricola for the family of Calvin Davis Wickline.



Karin and Doug Smith - January 08, 2025 at 08:12 PM

GM

“ Gary And Mary Mason lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline



Gary and Mary Mason - January 07, 2025 at 12:33 AM

LH

“ Very sorry to hear of Calvin's passing. I think most of us that grew up in Brodhead have a memory of him as a police officer or just a friend of our parents. I highly respected him as both. Deepest condolences to his entire family. ❤️❤️❤️

LouAnn Harmel - January 05, 2025 at 06:08 PM

NL

“ Our deepest sympathy to all of you. Dale & Nancy Lentz

Nancy Lentz - January 03, 2025 at 04:29 PM

MM

“ We're so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. Please let us know if there's anything we can do for you. Love, Ray and Martha

Martha Marden - December 30, 2024 at 09:39 PM

JF

“ Jeff & Donna Fowler lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline



Jeff & Donna Fowler - December 30, 2024 at 12:09 PM

KA

“ Kristine Armitage lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline



Kristine Armitage - December 30, 2024 at 09:49 AM

DS

“ Connie and family, I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.



Denise (Cooley) Sacker - December 30, 2024 at 08:40 AM

JB

“ So sorry for your loss. Wonderful memories will comfort you.



Jean Bonier - December 29, 2024 at 06:49 PM

LL

“ *Leann Looze lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Leann Looze - December 29, 2024 at 03:24 PM

TW

“ *Tim Wickline lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Tim Wickline - December 29, 2024 at 01:41 PM

DK

“ *Doug And Janice Knight lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Doug and Janice Knight - December 28, 2024 at 08:15 PM

BM

“ *Bruce And Amy Mills lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Bruce and Amy Mills - December 28, 2024 at 07:16 PM

CW

“ Sorry on your loss, Cal was always my favorite driver for the nursery.



Cindy Whitehead - December 28, 2024 at 04:35 PM

CE

“ Sending my sympathies-Your Father was always kind to me - I cherish our times together. Sending much love and friendship your way!
Cheryl (Harding) Easland



Cheryl Easland - December 28, 2024 at 04:14 PM

RB

“ Rita Beasley lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline



Rita Beasley - December 28, 2024 at 04:08 PM

TR

“ Tom And Ann Richmond lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline



Tom and Ann Richmond - December 28, 2024 at 04:02 PM



“ *Barbara Robinson Clark lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Barbara Robinson Clark - December 28, 2024 at 03:48 PM

LC

“ *Love, Jeff and Dawn Colvin purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Calvin Davis Wickline.*



Love, Jeff and Dawn Colvin - December 28, 2024 at 01:18 PM

DH

“ *Dennis & Cindy Haberman lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Dennis & Cindy Haberman - December 28, 2024 at 12:58 PM

RS

“ *Randy And Wendy Schupbach lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Randy and Wendy Schupbach - December 28, 2024 at 10:38 AM

GV

“ *Gail And Denny Vondra lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Gail and Denny Vondra - December 28, 2024 at 08:42 AM

DS

“ *Deanna Shultz lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Deanna Shultz - December 28, 2024 at 08:22 AM

AO

“ *Allen And Donna Olson lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Allen and Donna Olson - December 28, 2024 at 07:57 AM

PL

“ *Phyllis Lentz lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Phyllis Lentz - December 28, 2024 at 05:41 AM

DF

“ *Doug And Kathy Foslin lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Doug and Kathy Foslin - December 27, 2024 at 11:50 PM

VM

“ *VICKIE MILLER lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



VICKIE MILLER - December 27, 2024 at 08:18 PM

BP

“ *Bob And Jean Peterson lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Bob and Jean Peterson - December 27, 2024 at 03:56 PM

DW

“ *Dean And Nancy Walters lit a candle in memory of Calvin Davis Wickline*



Dean and Nancy Walters - December 27, 2024 at 03:46 PM