



Thorvald Olson

November 4, 1921 - January 26, 2019

Obituary

Thorvald Olson, age 97, of Brodhead, WI, passed away on Saturday, January 26, 2019, at his home. He was born on November 4, 1921 in Freeborn, MN, the son of Thorvald and Helen (Norem) Olson. He married Pauline C. Nicholls on August 15, 1944 in Wildwood, NJ.

Thorvald had been a seed corn salesman, a dairy farmer in the Albany, WI area and a barber. He was a U.S. Navy Veteran, Seaman 2nd Class and was the ship's barber, commissioned by the President of the United States. Thorvald was also a member of the United Methodist Church, Albany, WI.

He is survived by his wife, Pauline; a son, Lawrence (Connie Joy) Olson, Evansville, WI; two daughters, Teresa (Keith) Blumer, Albany, WI and Cynthia Pryce, Brodhead, WI; a brother, Kenneth (Betty) Olson, Cherry Valley, IL; a sister-in-law, Norabelle Olson, Rockford, IL; nine grandchildren, thirty-two great-grandchildren and seven great great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, a daughter Linda, in infancy, two brothers, Herbert Olson and Otto Hagen; three sisters, Jean Frye, Nevina Monson and Alice Nordstrom.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, February 2, 2019, at the Albany United Methodist Church with Rev. Tom Moe officiating. Burial will be

in Hillcrest Cemetery, Albany, WI, with military honors. Visitation will be held from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. on Friday, February 1, 2019 and from 10 a.m. until time of services at the church on Saturday.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Thorvald Olson, please visit our floral store.

Tribute Wall

MB

“ To the family of Thorvald Olson: Please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one. As a Bible reader I've found a few scriptures that have brought much comfort and help to me and my family. The Bible says at 1Corinthians 1:3,4 that "God comforts us in our trials" by giving us a calm heart and peace of mind. Revelation 21:3,4 says " death, mourning, outcry from pain will be no more" it's my prayer that these verses will console you.

Mary Booker - February 08, 2019 at 04:46 PM

GH

“ I am so grateful that I was able to spend a few days with Uncle Bae just before he passed. He was an important part of my life and a great Norwegian. He will be missed, but his memory will live on.

Greg Hagen - February 06, 2019 at 07:01 PM

JF

“ When talking with Bae, he made me feel like I was the only person in the room. He did this with everyone. I will miss him.

Jody (Frye) Forte - February 03, 2019 at 06:02 PM

EB

“ Thorvald will always be remembered for his smile, laughter, friendliness and love he gave to all he came in contact with. You always felt better when you would meet up with Thorvald, he had a way of touching your soul. He will be missed. Sending love and hugs for all. So sorry for your loss.

Emery and Rosealee Backman - February 03, 2019 at 09:23 AM

EO

“ *My Memories: Hearing him tell stories of the "old days" was a special treat, Bae head a way of keeping everyone listening and laughing! He was a great guy who will be missed by all who knew him....My Deepest Sympathy to Pauline and Family.*

Elna (Hallgren) Orr - February 02, 2019 at 09:31 AM

YY

“ *My condolences. I have many good memories of Thorvald, especially one Christmas Eve our family was invited over to the original house on English Settlement Road and he played Santa, complete with sound effects of reindeer on the roof. I was about 8 or 9. His laugh was contagious and he brought happiness to many.*

Yvonne Yoerger - February 02, 2019 at 08:28 AM

BH

“ *Bruce and Mary Hallgren May God bless you with His Comfort and His Peace at this time.*

Bruce Hallgren - February 01, 2019 at 07:18 PM

ES

“ *A Loving Friendship was ordered on February 1, 2019*

Expression of Sympathy - February 01, 2019 at 09:10 AM

MK

“ *Our condolences Margaret Kauk and Families*

Margaret Kauk - January 30, 2019 at 02:02 PM

ES

“ A FEATHERY PALM PLANT was sent on January 30, 2019 From
Joe & Bobbie Dairyland Real estate

Expression of Sympathy - January 30, 2019 at 01:57 PM

WR

“ A candle was lit in remembrance

Wade & Diana Rudyanski - January 29, 2019 at 09:14 PM

ES

“ A Ceramic Dish Garden was ordered on January 29, 2019

Expression of Sympathy - January 29, 2019 at 05:33 PM

ES

“ A GRANDMA'S GARDEN TABLE BASKET was sent on January 29,
2019 Rest in peace Thorvald.

Expression of Sympathy - January 29, 2019 at 04:39 PM

LC

“ May your memories sustain you in this sad time.

Lisa Cihlar - January 29, 2019 at 04:26 PM

ES

“ A FEATHERY PALM PLANT was ordered on January 29, 2019

Expression of Sympathy - January 29, 2019 at 01:29 PM

BH

“ Our sincere sympathy to your family. He was one of our Favorites. I
loved his laugh. Beverly Parsons Hellenbrand

Beverly Hellenbrand - January 29, 2019 at 09:41 AM

DR

“ *Terrie and Keith: You have my deepest sympathy. Praying for you.*

Debi Ringkob - January 28, 2019 at 12:56 PM

AO

“ *Our condolences.*

Allen and Donna Olson - January 27, 2019 at 06:28 PM