



Charles "Chuck" Lee Knutson was born on November 14, 1942, in Willmar, Minnesota, the son of Freeman and Mabel (Ramus) Knutson. He grew up and received his education in Willmar. From 1960 to 1962, he served in the U.S. Army and was stationed in France. On December 27, 1960, Chuck was married to Marlene Hegreberg and they made their home in Willmar.

Chuck was employed at Town & Country Motors in auto body repairs and later owned and operated an auto body shop in downtown Willmar. Sheriff Harvey Spaulding later employed Chuck at the Kandiyohi County Jail as the Chief Jailer. His last place of employment was at American Welding Company driving semi-truck, retiring in 2005.

Chuck's hobbies included riding bicycle, traveling, fishing with his buddies and attending area cars shows and county fairs. He also enjoyed watching stock car and drag races, especially at Brainard International Raceway.

Chuck passed away Friday evening, March 18, at his residence surrounded by family following an extended illness.

He is survived by his wife, Marlene; three children, Michael Knutson of New London, Jacquelyn Johnson of Willmar and Chad Knutson of Willmar; seven grandchildren and one great granddaughter on the way. Also surviving is one sister, Suzanne (and Jim) Keuseman of Willmar, besides other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Chase Lee and one brother in infancy, Michael Larry Knutson.

Celebrating the Life of



Chuck Knutson

1942 - 2022

Beyond the rainbow's farthest end, there lies a land that's always filled with love and light. Where shadows never fall and dim the skies; for in this lovely land, there is no night. In this celestial place of joy and peace, there is no time or space, no doubt or fear; for those who come to it, all troubles cease. All worldly difficulties disappear.

And though the loss of loved ones or of friends brings sorrows and is hard for us to bear. If we could see beyond the rainbow's end we know that we could find them waiting there in that celestial dwelling place above— The land of peace and joy, of light and love.

Arrangements By
Peterson Brothers Funeral Home
"Celebrating A Life Remembered"

In Loving Memory Of
Charles "Chuck" Knutson

November 14, 1942
Willmar, Minnesota

March 18, 2022
Willmar, Minnesota

Celebration of Life Service

Saturday, March 26, 2022 - 11:00 AM
Green Lake Free Lutheran Church
Spicer, Minnesota

Prelude		Lynnette Sommers
Processional Hymn	<i>"He Hideth My Soul"</i>	#571 Ambassador
Way of Salvation		
Obituary		
Special Music	<i>"I Bind Unto Myself This Day"</i>	Pastor Carl Fiskness
Scripture Readings		
Sermon		Pastor Carl Fiskness
Hymn	<i>"Christ Returneth"</i>	#159 Ambassador
Lord's Prayer		
Benediction		
Invitation for lunch		
Table Prayer	<i>"Be Present at Our Table, Lord"</i>	
Recessional Hymn	<i>"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"</i>	#173
Postlude		

Military Honor Guard

Austin F. Hanscom American Legion Post #167
Willmar, Minnesota

Interment

Fairview Cemetery
Willmar, Minnesota