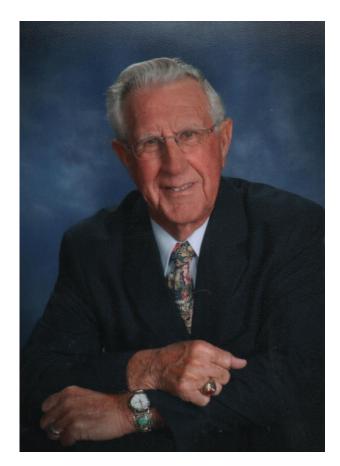
Silas McCormack was born on August 24, 1929, in Morris, Minnesota, the son of Silas Sherman and Mary (Tschudi) McCormack. He was a graduate of Morris High School. While working at Max's Bakery he met Betty Max. They started dating and on September 23, 1950, Silas and Betty were married at First Lutheran Church in Morris.

The couple made their home in Morris where Silas began a career as an Insurance Agent for MSI in 1953. He retired from the Insurance business in 1998. He and Betty enjoyed playing bridge, traveling throughout the United States and dancing together. Silas's favorite activities included fishing, hunting, and playing pool at the senior center. He was a member of Lions Club, the Eagles Club and was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Silas died on Thursday, February 8, 2018, at his home, surrounded by his family. He is survived by his wife, Betty; sons: Major (Paula Donath), Bruce (Laura) and daughter, Pat (Craig) Swenson; six grandchildren: Mark McCormack, Mary Suchy, Shawn Swenson, Blake Swenson, Maggie McCormack, Mindy McCormack-Fisher; four great grandchildren: Parker Swenson, Paxton Swenson, Malachi Fisher, Ariana Fisher.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Silas Sherman McCormack and Mary (Tschudi) and sister Rose Nelson.

Remembering the Life Of



Silas S. McCormack 1929 - 2018

Fisherman's Prayer

God grant that I may Live to fish, Until my dying day, And when it comes To my last cast, I then most humbly pray, When in the Lord's Safe landing net, I'm peacefully asleep, That in his mercy I be judged, As big enough to keep.

In Loving Memory of Silas S. McCormack

March 24, 1929 [‡] February 8, 2018

Funeral Service Calvary Lutheran Church Alexandria, Minnesota Monday, February 12, 11:00 AM

> Officiant Reverend Hans Dahl

> > **Organist** Nolan Weisz

Soloist Katie Dahl

Casket Bearers

Bruce McCormack Major McCormack Mark McCormack Craig Swenson Shawn Swenson Blake Swenson

Honorary Pallbearers

Maggie McCormack Ariana Fisher Mary Suchy Parker Swenson Paxton Swenson Malachi Fisher Mindy McCormack-Fisher

> **Interment** Summit Cemetery Morris, Minnesota

Arrangements By Anderson Funeral Home Alexandria, Minnesota