

In Loving Memory

Larry Luverne Ludwig was born September 24, 1954 in Sioux City, IA, the son of Luverne and Shirley (Henshaw) Ludwig. At age three Larry and his family relocated to Alexandria Minnesota where he grew up and attended school. He graduated from Jefferson High School in 1972.

Following school Larry worked on the family farm off County Road 17. He furthered his education at Alexandria Technical College where he earned a degree in diesel mechanics. He worked for one year in Parkers Prairie and one year in the Twin Cities as a mechanic.

On August 26, 1978 Larry was united in marriage to Kay Bohne in Alexandria. The couple made their home in Alexandria and were blessed with two children, Sheena and Shawn. Larry began working for Bellanca Aircraft as a mechanic. Later Larry began working at Land O'Lakes as an over the road driver. He continued at the same company as it was absorbed by Northern Food and Dairy and later by Sun Opta. In his later years he moved from driving to plant maintenance. Larry also worked as a welder for a short time at Continental Bridge in Carlos, MN.

On January 25, 2008 Larry was united in marriage to Beverly Shriver and expanded his family with three step-sons, Matthew, Joshua and Kyle. The couple made their home on a hobby farm near Garfield, MN.

Larry enjoyed gardening and fishing. He loved hunting deer, pheasants and especially ducks. He was a fan of NASCAR's Jimmie Johnson. Larry was also a longtime member of the Leaf Valley Sportsman Club, Ducks Unlimited and Pheasants Forever.

Larry could fix anything and enjoyed making repairs and improvements. He always put others first; if somebody needed his skills he dropped what he was doing to lend a hand. Larry was also a dog lover and gave his dogs, Jess and Bree, special treatment.

On Monday, January 15, 2018 Larry died at the age of sixty-three years; as Larry would say "It is what it is". He was preceded in death by his wife, Bev Ludwig; parents, Luverne and Shirley Ludwig; his step-mother, Charlotte Ludwig; and his brother, Tom Ludwig. Larry is survived by son, Shawn Ludwig and wife, Crystal, of Bemidji, MN; daughter, Sheena Radermacher of Alexandria; step-sons, Joshua Shriver of Valparaiso, IN, Kyle Shriver of Fargo, ND and Matthew Shriver of Belle Plaine, MN; grandchildren, Kaitlynn, Dalton and Kylea Ludwig; brother, Tim Ludwig and wife, Mari, of Long Prairie, MN; sisters, Peggy Hansen and husband, Alan, of Zimmerman, MN and Kathy Brada and husband, Paul, of Colorado Springs, CO; step-brother, Michael Granlund and wife, Sally, of Olivia, MN; sister-in-law, Arlene Ludwig of Garfield; and numerous nieces and nephews.



Larry Ludwig

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*For Those I Love,
For Those Who Love Me...*

When I am gone, release me, let me go...

I have so many things to see and do.

You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears,

But let my spirit calm your fears,

I gave you my love. You can only guess

How much you gave me in happiness.

I thank you for the love you have shown,

But now it's time I traveled on alone!

So grieve a while for me, if grieve you must,

Then let your grief be comforted by trust.

It's only for a while that we must part,

So bless the memories that lie within your heart.

I won't be far away, for life goes on.

So if you need me, call and I will come.

Though you can't see me or touch me, I'll be near,

And if you listen with your heart, you'll hear

All of my love around you soft and clear.

And then, when you must come this way alone...

I'll greet you with a smile and say,

"Welcome Home."

In Memory of

Larry Luverne Ludwig

September 24, 1954 † January 15, 2018

Visitation

Anderson Funeral Home

Alexandria, Minnesota

Saturday, January 20, 2018

1 to 5 PM

“It is what it is.”

Larry

Arrangements

Anderson Funeral Home

Alexandria, Minnesota