

Paul Wesley Nelson was born May 5, 1937 in Grand Park Township, Becker County, Minnesota, the son of Ernest and Jenny (Larson) Nelson. He was born the day before the German airship "Hindenburg" exploded in Lakehurst, New Jersey. He passed away November 4, 2022 at Essentia Health in Fargo, North Dakota.

He grew up on the family farm and attended country school near Richwood Township, then Holmes High School. Paul worked in carpentry, painting, doing pipeline construction, and grain bin building, and also did work with the United States Geological Survey.

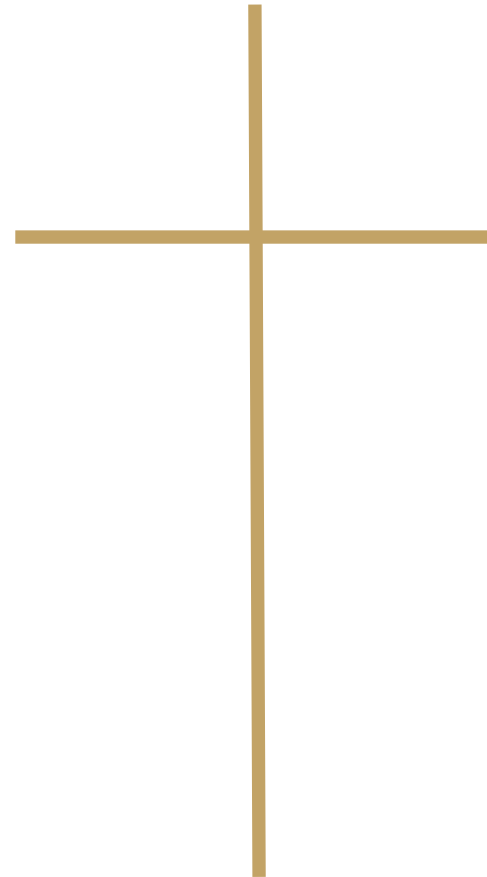
On October 31, 1959 Paul was united in marriage to Ethel Sarvie at Zion Lutheran Church in Detroit Lakes. He enjoyed deer hunting and fishing and spending weekends on the Sarvie family farm.

Paul is survived by his son, Russel (Lori) Nelson; sister Ethel (Ted) Andrus; brother Dennis (Mary-Alice) Nelson; in-laws Donald (Charlotte) Sarvie, Mildred (Arnold) Blauert, Edwin Sarvie.

He was preceded in death by his parents: Ernest and Jenny Nelson; wife Ethel Nelson in 2011; sister Irene Doten; brother Dean (Shirley) Nelson; brother-in-law Harold Sarvie.



In Loving
Memory



The Twenty-Third Psalm

The **L**ord is my shepherd, I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul:
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness
for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the
shadow of death,
I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;
thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence
of mine enemies;
Thou annointest my head
with oil; my cup runneth
over.

Surely goodness and mercy
shall follow me
all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the
house of the **L**ord for
ever.



In Loving Memory Of

Paul Wesley Nelson

Born

May 5, 1937
Grand Park Township, Minnesota

Died

November 4, 2022
Fargo, North Dakota

Funeral Service

Thursday, November 10, 2022
Zion Lutheran Church
Detroit Lakes, Minnesota

Officiated By

Pastor Dan Abrahams

Organist

Michelle Johnson

Pall Bearers

Rick Nelson
Tim Nelson
Joe Block
Matt Blauert
Roger Blauert
Allan Wendt

Interment

Holmsville Free Church Cemetery
Detroit Lakes, Minnesota

Arrangements by

West-Kjos Funeral Home
Detroit Lakes, Minnesota