Remembering the Life...

Barnard Eggen, 81, of rural Fergus Falls, died Thursday June 25, 2020, at his home as the result of an accident.

Barnard Hans Eggen was born on December 25, 1938, in Fergus Falls, the son of Mary (Dess) and Henry Eggen. He spent his early years in rural Wilkin County near Foxhome. As a child he walked to and from school along the Ottertail River. In his teens the family moved to rural Underwood, MN, and graduated from high school there in 1957. He worked as a farmhand during high school years.

Barnard worked in road construction from graduation until his retirement in 2002. During those years he worked for a variety of construction companies including Soby, Delzer, Bergus, Dunnicks Brothers & Gilchrist, and Riley Brothers.

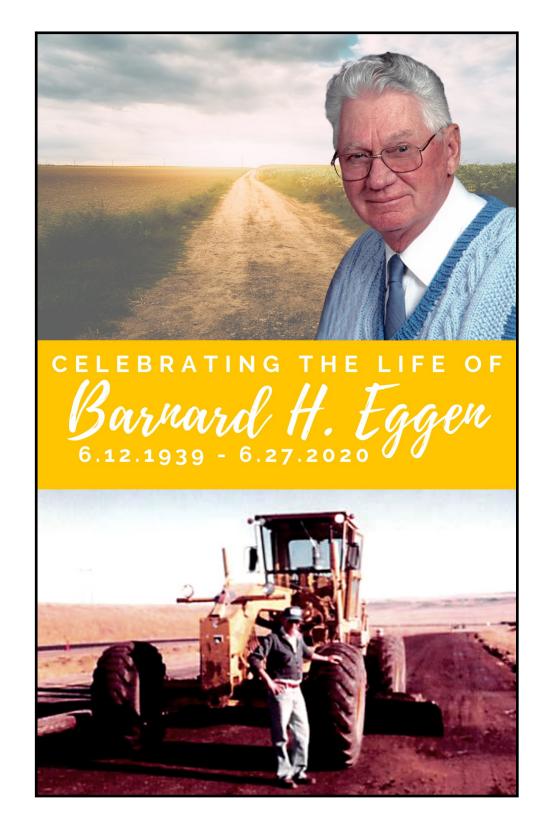
On August 5, 1961, Barney married Emily Jane Beske, and they were blessed with three children and five grandchildren. He served in the U.S. Army from 1961 to 1963 at Fort Bragg. They lived for a short time in Shakopee, MN before returning to Ottertail County.

Barney is survived by his wife, Emily, of Fergus Falls; three children, Scott (Isa), of Maplewood, MN, Rebecca Hauschild (Bryan) of Wheaton, MN, and Serianna Eggen (Ryan Hamilton) of Dalton, MN; brother Leo Eggen of Fergus Falls and numerous nieces and nephews. He will be missed by his grandchildren Margo Vorderbruggen of Fargo, Katie Hauschild and Abby Hauschild of Wheaton, Emery Hamilton and Jetta Hamilton of Dalton.

He was an active member of the Lake Region Pioneer Threshers Association, Underwood Rockets Snowmobile Club, Zion-Sarpsborg Lutheran Church and the Lions Club. Barney enjoyed the outdoors, hunting, fishing, chopping wood and always kept busy.

Preceding him in death was his brother Arnold in 1942, his parents, and great-granddaughter Gabriella Korinna Vorderbruggen.

Blessed be the Memory of Barney Eggen



Surely your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

Psalm 23:6 NIV



Trust in the LORD and do good; dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture. Psalm 37:3 NIV

In Loving Memory of

Barnard "Barney" Hans Eggen December 25, 1938 - June 25, 2020

Funeral Service

10:30 AM Tuesday, June 30, 2020 Glende-Nilson Funeral Home ~ Fergus Falls, Minnesota

Officiating

Pastor Mark Johnson Dalton Free Lutheran Parishes

Recorded Music

Chris Rupp - "Movin' On (Home Free)" Dolly Parton - "Coat of Many Colors" Fats Domino - "Blueberry Hill"

Casket Bearers

Ryan Hamilton ~ Emery Hamilton Gary Eggen ~ Bryan Hauschild

Military Honors

American Legion Post 30 & VFW Post 612 Fergus Falls, Minnesota

Private Family Interment

9:00 AM Tuesday, June 30, 2020 Foxhome Cemetery ~ Foxhome, Minnesota

Appreciation

We would like to express our thanks for your kindness. The overwhelming expressions of thoughtfulness and love are deeply appreciated.

Arrangements By

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