

Celebrating THE *Life* OF
LuVerne L. Pieske

FEBRUARY 18, 1931 – DECEMBER 27, 2023

Gone Fishin'

*I've finished life's chores assigned to me,
So put me on a boat headed out to sea.
Please send along my fishing pole
For I've been invited to the fishin' hole.
Where every day is a day to fish,
To fill your heart with every wish.
Don't worry, or feel sad for me,
I'm fishin' with the Master of the sea.
We will miss each other for awhile,
But you will come and bring your smile.
That won't be long you will see,
Till we're together you and me.
To all of those that think of me,
Be happy as I go out to sea.
If others wonder why I'm missin'
Just tell 'em I've gone fishin'.*

- Delmar Pepper

Services At:

Trinity Lutheran Church - Alberta, Minnesota
Wednesday - January 3, 2024 - 11:00 a.m.

Officiating Clergy:

Minister Minette Stalheim Johnson

Musician:

Marcia Schroeder

Special Music:

Fritz Lukes

Family Remembrance:

Curtis Pieske

Reader:

Tammy Kugler

Pallbearers:

Lincoln Pieske, Russ Berneking, Don Kugler
Jerry Johnson, Ben Johnson, Scott Johnson

Honorary Pallbearer:

Mack Pieske

Military Honors:

Morris American Legion, AmVets & VFW
Minnesota Army Honor Guard

Interment:

Summit Cemetery
Morris, Minnesota

LuVerne Lawrence Pieske, son of Lawrence and Ethel (Gode) Pieske, was born February 18, 1931 in Burnstown Township, Brown County, Minnesota. He grew up on a farm, and attended country school through the eighth grade. Following his schooling, LuVerne helped on the family farm. He was drafted to the United States Army; stationed in Bramberg, Germany, serving in the Korean War, where he was awarded the American Occupational Medal and National Defense Service Medal. LuVerne was also a part of the Automatic Rifle Team that competed in the Prix General Le Clerc Shooting Competition. Following his honorable discharge, LuVerne returned to Minnesota. He was united in marriage to Joyce Schnobrich on November 16, 1954 at Stately Lutheran Church in rural Sanborn. The couple moved near Donnelly, Minnesota where they farmed a short time and later purchased a farm near Alberta, where they continued to farm until retiring in 2013. The Pieske's milked cows for over 20 years, raised small grains and corn, raised beef cattle and hogs, and had goats, chickens, geese and turkeys. Joyce passed away May 13, 2017. LuVerne later moved to Fargo, North Dakota, where he continued to live until the time of his passing.

LuVerne was a member of Faith Lutheran Church in Morris and later Trinity Lutheran Church in Alberta. He was an active member of the Morris American Legion, V.F.W. and AmVets, serving as Commander of both the V.F.W. and AmVets. He loved fishing, helping Joyce with her gardening, and tinkering in his shop. He also enjoyed listening to polka music, dancing and playing the concertina.

LuVerne passed away Wednesday, December 27, 2023 at Bethany Retirement Living in Fargo, North Dakota. He was 92 years old.

He is survived by two children: Curtis (Missy) Pieske of Wadena and Karen (Art) Tierney of Pillager; two grandchildren: Lincoln and Mack Pieske; two honorary grandchildren: Carolee and Caitlyn Berneking; one brother: DeLoss Pieske of Lake Wilson and one sister: LaDonna Stock of Granite Falls; He was preceded in death by his wife: Joyce Pieske; his parents; infant brother: Lawrence Pieske and brother: ElRoy Pieske.

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