



Elwood Lawrence Fors

July 27, 1933 - March 18, 2023

Elwood Fors, 89, of Minneapolis, MN, passed away peacefully on March 18th, 2023, surrounded by family. He was born on July 27th, 1933, to parents Lawrence and Mae Belle Fors in Kanabec County, MN.

Elwood graduated from Ogilvie High School in Ogilvie, MN in 1952. After proudly serving his country in Korea, Elwood later attended Brown Institute in Minneapolis graduating in 1959.

He and his wife Cleo were married in 1956. They would go on to raise four children in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Elwood worked for Honeywell as a quality control engineer retiring in 1992 after forty years of service. He kept busy in retirement and was an active volunteer for the VA Medical Center, Meals on Wheels, Simpson Shelter and his beloved Epworth Church.

Camping, hunting and traveling were a large part of Elwood's family and leisure life. He took his family camping and traveling throughout the United States. He and Cleo continued their traveling well into their retirement. Grouse hunting with his sons and his long-time friend George Mencil was a highlight of his autumns.

Family was extremely important to Elwood. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. He also made it a point to reach out to his siblings, cousins, nieces and nephews just to see how they were doing. Elwood was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and three sisters. He is survived by his wife Cleo; sons Terry (Melody), Mark (Sam), Jon (Deborah) and daughter Michelle; seven grandchildren, fourteen great-

grandchildren, two brothers Dennis Fors and Rodney Fors, as well as many other relatives and friends.

A memorial service will be held for Elwood on Saturday April 29th 2 PM at Epworth United Methodist Church, 3207 37th Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN. Visitation is one hour prior to service. Memorials preferred to Epworth UMC.

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Previous Events

Visitation

APR **29**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Epworth United Methodist Church
3207 37th Ave S
Minneapolis, MN 55406

Memorial Service

APR **29**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Elwood Lawrence Fors.* ”



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