



John Harding Lindgren

May 24, 1935 - December 6, 2023

Lindgren, John H. "Jack"

Age 88, of Bloomington, passed away December 6th, 2023, at the MN Masonic Home.

Jack was born in Two Harbors, MN and joined the US Army in 1954. On July 22, 1955, he married the love of his life and high school sweetheart, Virjean Gustafson. Together they had three children: John, Jane, and Jill. After returning from overseas, he obtained his undergraduate and master's degrees in communication disorders. He worked for Bloomington Public schools for 30 years as a Speech/Language Pathologist and Special Education Coordinator. Jack was an active and contributing Mason for his entire adult life. He became a Master Mason in Fortitude Lodge (1961) and was Master of Phoenix Daylight Lodge (2010). Jack was a 33rd Degree Mpls Valley Scottish Rite Mason and a Past Master of the Consistory. He was also a Royal Arch Mason and Past Sovereign of St. George Conclave of Red Cross of Constantine. Jack had also been an active member of Zurah Shrine Center and contributed to many other Masonic activities in a variety of ways.

His greatest joy was his family, and he treasured every minute of his time up north at the cabin. Jack had a larger-than-life personality, and his humor and wit will be missed by all.

He is preceded in death by his parents Reuben and Vaneta, sister Joan, and his loving wife Virjean.

Survived by his 3 children, John Lindgren (Joy), Jane Cavanaugh (Patrick)

and Jill Achterkirch (Marc); grandchildren Krista, John Erik, Kiersten (Jake), Katie (Mike), Margo, Grant and Molly, sister Susann (Karl).

Funeral service will be at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Bloomington, 1701 West Old Shakopee Road, Thursday, December 14th at 11:00 a.m. Visitation will be held 2 hours prior to the service. Private Interment will be at Dawn Valley Memorial Park. Memorials are preferred to MN Masonic Charities or St. Luke's Lutheran Church.

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Dawn Valley Chapel 952-941-7686

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 14. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Luke's Lutheran Church (Bloomington)
1701 W. Old Shakopee Rd.
Bloomington, MN 55431

Memorial Service

DEC 14. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (CT)

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Reception

DEC 14. 11:45 AM - 1:15 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Jack was a very special person and will be missed by those that had the privilege and pleasure of knowing him. Jack will be remembered by me for his humor, smile, and laughter. Jack was such an empathetic person by always inquiring about the wellbeing of my family. He was a friend, mentor, and supporter of me in so many ways
Jim Percich

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“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Harding Lindgren.



December 11, 2023 at 08:21 AM



“ Allina Health - Medical Staff Services planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Harding Lindgren.

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