



Lowell Arthur Clifford

July 17, 1935 - June 16, 2025

Lowell A Clifford, age 89 and 11 months, of Bloomington, MN passed away peacefully into the arms of Jesus at home surrounded by his family on June 16, 2025.

Lowell was born on July 17, 1935 in Rush City, MN to mother Gladys and father Harry. He was the second of four children. He graduated from Rush City High School in 1955. Lowell met his wife, Joyce, at the roller rink in Rush City, while they were still in high school. Lowell and Joyce married on May 12, 1956 at Cambridge Lutheran Church and are blessed to have celebrated 69 years of marriage. Lowell and Joyce created a home in Coon Rapids and raised three daughters; Karla, Becky and Paula.

Lowell worked at Superior Plating in Minneapolis and then Anoka-Hennepin School District, where he retired. Lowell and Joyce enjoyed many activities throughout their marriage; roller skating, camping, attending many band events while raising their daughters, cross-country skiing, and square dancing. After retirement they moved to Bloomington and Texas (Fun-N-Sun, San Benito TX) became a winter retreat - shuffleboard, playing cards, ice cream socials and making many, many friends creating many lasting memories. Lowell enjoyed gardening, woodworking, music and spending time with his family including his four granddaughters and 13 great-grandchildren. He also enjoyed pet sitting the "grand" pets.

Lowell will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered by his wife Joyce; daughters Karla, Becky (Willie) Jans, Paula (Doug) Steen; sisters Phyllis McDonald and Luella (Jim) Fenner; granddaughters Ashley (Joseph) Ehrich, Kaia (Bart) Johnson, Moira (Ryan) Jacoway and Shelby (Austin) Gumbiner; and 13 Great-Grandchildren. Beside his parents, Lowell was preceded in death by his sister Charlotte Koch, brother-in-law's Jerry Koch, Earl McDonald and granddaughter, Alayna Rae Jans.

Dad's wish for all of us is to have a relationship with our Heavenly Father.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bloomington Chapel
2300 W. Old Shakopee Road
Bloomington, MN 55431
(952) 884-8145
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Memorial Service

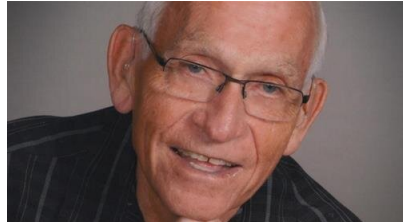
JUN **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapels created a Memorial Service for Lowell Arthur Clifford in memory of Lowell Arthur Clifford



Washburn-McReavy - June 20, 2025 at 12:41 PM

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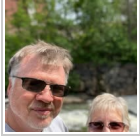
“ It was such a delight to meet Lowell and Joyce when they came to Emmaus church in 2023 ! Lowell commented with a laugh that he and Joyce met at a roller rink and "we've been going around ever since!" He endured his illness with grace and his irrepressible sense of humor. Oh, there will be fun times in the heavenly reunions when Lowell arrives!

angela norell - July 04, 2025 at 10:43 PM

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“ Joyce and family, we wish we could have been with you in person to celebrate Lowell's life. We watched on line. What a wonderful achievement to live a long and full life and to leave a legacy of family. Dad was recounting memories for me of standing up for Lowell at your wedding. I am so glad that we were able to have lunch with you on our last visit to Minnesota. Sending prayers of comfort, Nancy (Danson) Ross and Bill Danson.

Nancy Danson Ross - June 23, 2025 at 01:07 PM



“ *He was a great friend and we will miss him dearly....The Wickstrom's*

Dave Wickstrom - June 23, 2025 at 10:19 AM

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I graduated with Lowell and on that special day he was my walking partner, Have enjoyed seeing him at several class reunions. Sorry for your loss. Bev.. (Boeck) Sward

Bev. Sward - June 29, 2025 at 02:29 PM