



## Mark Orelup Frink

May 10, 1926 - January 4, 2025

Frink, Mark O.

Mark went home to be with Jesus on 01/04/25, where he was united forever with our beloved Mom, Millie (2004) and our precious sister, Stephanie (1962), who preceded him. Dad was 98 1/2, and yes half years matter at this age.

He was born in Parshall, ND and was raised on a family farm near Plaza, ND. He became a Christ follower at age 24 and shortly thereafter enrolled in Bible School at HMST in Minneapolis, where he met Millie (Aarnes). They were married in 1955 and traveled by boat and rail to La Paz, Bolivia, where they served for nearly 40 years as missionaries to the Aymara people of Bolivia. They were instrumental in building an evangelical denomination in Bolivia consisting of over 200 churches today. Our parents were married for close to 50 years until Mom passed away. He is survived by children, Janet (Linus) Brandt, Tim, Bruce (Sharon), and Nathan (Laurie) Frink; 10 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Dad loved his family, friends and supporters dearly and they returned that love. He would do anything for anyone to the fullest extent possible, even into his late 90s. He truly had a servant's heart and prayed daily for family, friends and Bolivian pastors, by name.

Dad was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, uncle, pastor and friend to

countless people in the U.S. and Bolivia. He will be deeply missed, but we look forward with joyful anticipation to the day we will be reunited forever in the presence of our Lord. We can only imagine!

A Celebration of Life service will occur on Saturday March 22, 2025 at WayCross Church in Brooklyn Park at 11:00 AM with visitation 1 hour prior to the service.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

WayCross Evangelical Church  
7733 West River Road  
Minneapolis, MN 55444

## Church Service

MAR **22**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

WayCross Evangelical Church  
7733 West River Road  
Minneapolis, MN 55444

# Tribute Wall

SS

“ *St. John's Hospital Medicine Service purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Mark Orelup Frink.*



---

**St. John's Hospital Medicine Service** - March 20, 2025 at 11:23 AM

JO

“ *Dear family of Mark Frink: We want you to know that we were blessed to know Mark through the years. We were privileged to live with Mark and Millie in Bolivia for seven weeks in 1978. We have great memories of time spent with Mark, Millie, Bruce and Nathan. We wish we could be at the memorial service, but a recent death in our family has changed our plans. We extend our sympathies, love and prayers to all of you. John & Prudy Olson*

---

**John & Prudy Olson** - March 19, 2025 at 10:12 AM