



Mr. Virgil Chester Larson

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Virgil Chester Larson, the son of Chester and Erna Larson, was born on June 12, 1945 in Appleton, Minnesota. Virgil was raised on the family farm in Appleton, MN, where they raised cows, horses, chickens, and pigs and had an outdoor family dog Fido. Virgil had 3 siblings, Marcella, Sandra, & Arden.

Shortly after graduating high school, he was united in marriage to Jeanette Lawson. This union was blessed with three children: Deborah, David, and Jennifer. Upon separation, Virgil found new hope in a life and union in marriage with Karen Larson. For many of his adult years, Virgil worked for Pro-Tech in the printed circuit business. He started at the bottom and moved his way up. As always, he took pride in his work and was always a hard worker. In his retired years, he enjoyed working at the Annandale park part-time and taking care of the grounds there. He & Karen most recently attended St. John's Lutheran church in Annandale, MN and have been attending for many years.

Virgil passed away peacefully in the early evening of Friday, August 18th, 2023. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Karen Larson; his siblings

Sandra Schake, and Arden (& Karen) Larson; his three children Deborah Larson, David (& Lawanda) Larson, and Jennifer Carlson; and his grandchildren: Anthony Baird, Ryan Baird, Jessica Baird, Nicholas Lambert; Katie Larson, Jazale Banks, Michael Larson, Jakayla Banks; Destiny Carlson, Zachary Carlson, and Kory Winters; and great grandson Arroe Day. He is also survived by his step-children: Debbie & (Frank) Sheehy, & Dean Mattila; his step-grandchildren, Denae & (Derek) Sanderson & Dereck Juillerat, and step-great grandchildren, Delanie & Decker Sanderson.

He was preceded in death by his parents Chester and Erna Larson and his sister Marcella (& Bernard) Westhausen, (Loren) Schake, and his nephew Douglas Schake.

Virgil had several passions in life. He took pride in home ownership and his home projects. He couldn't sit still for very long and always had a project he was working on. He also had a lot of generosity, as he was always looking out for his neighbors and helping them with their yard work and handyman repairs as well as his own. He & Karen enjoyed several years of planting and harvesting a huge garden. His hobbies included doing woodworking projects, as well as enjoying many years of fishing, and golfing, and he always enjoyed playing cards and games with family & friends.

He will be greatly missed by all that knew him.

Blessed be the memory of Virgil Larson.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **29**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Glen Haven Chapel
5125 West Broadway
Crystal, MN 55429

Chapel Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.*



August 28, 2023 at 08:00 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.

August 27, 2023 at 09:53 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.*



August 27, 2023 at 09:53 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.*



August 23, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.*



August 22, 2023 at 01:42 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.

August 22, 2023 at 10:51 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.

August 21, 2023 at 09:16 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.*



August 21, 2023 at 09:16 PM

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“ *Arden and Karen Larson / Sandra Schake purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Mr. Virgil Chester Larson.*



Arden and Karen Larson / Sandra Schake - August 21, 2023
at 07:23 PM