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In Loving Memory of



Edwin Clausen

May 21, 1928

July 26, 2024

Edwin "Ed" Clausen, age 96, of Clark, SD, died peacefully with family at his side on Friday, July 26, 2024 at Avantara Clark Nursing Home.

Edwin John Clausen was born in Clark, SD on May 21, 1928 to Ernest and Emma (Stanley) Clausen. He was one of 13 children in the family. Ed attended school in Clark and graduated from Clark High School in 1946.

On July 1, 1950 Ed was united in marriage to Beverly Margaret Condit at the Plymouth Congregational Church in Clark. To this union, four children were born: Mary Jo, John, Margaret "Peggy", and Peter.

Ed entered and served in the Army during the Korean Conflict and was stationed in Japan on April 10, 1951. He was honorably discharged on April 9, 1953. During this time, Ed received the Korean Service and United Nations Service Medals.

Ed worked for the US Postal Service. He started out as a part-time mail carrier on the city route in Clark and he eventually attained the position of postmaster. His dedication and efficiency were unmatched!

Ed was active in the Clark community as a volunteer fireman and was a member in the Clark Rotary Club, the Clark Golf Club, the American Legion, and the Plymouth Congregational Church (U.C.C).

Ed excelled in athletics. He played basketball, baseball, and ran track in high school. He was a champion golfer who participated in many Clark City Tournaments.

Ed is survived by his children; Mary Jo (Laurence) Johnson of Pierre, John (Carol) Clausen of Pierre, and Peggy (Don) Lindsay of Sturgis; grandchildren: Heather Redetzke, Robyn Bauer, Chris and Tom Johnson, Allison Petrich, and Katie Farrens; nine great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were his wife Bev, parents, infant son Peter, grandson Jeffrey Lindsay, and his brothers and sisters.

The family of Ed Clausen thanks you for your presence here today, for your thoughts, prayers, and other acts of kindness shown to them. In lieu of flowers, family requests memorials be made out to Plymouth Congregational Church, Clark Rotary, or the Clark Area Community Foundation.



Celebrating the Life of Edwin "Ed" Clausen

Services from
Plymouth Congregational
United Church of Christ
Clark, South Dakota
Wednesday, July 31, 2024
10:30 a.m.

Officiant
Pastor Fawn Lamb

Music
Betsy Kolden - Organist
Kathy Weber - Pianist
"Borning Cry"
"When We All Get To Heaven"- #487
"Amazing Grace"
Special Music by Friends
"On Eagles Wings"

Casketbearers
Ed's loving family

Interment with Military Honors
Military Rites by US Army
Clark Legion Baker's Post # 60
Rose Hill Cemetery
Clark, South Dakota

Following the interment, please join the family for a lunch
& a time of fellowship in the church fellowship hall.