



## Bernard J. Balder

May 8, 2014

Mass of Christian Burial will be 11:00 a.m., Thursday, May 8, 2014 at St. Boniface Catholic Church in Cold Spring, MN for Bernard J. Balder, age 85, who died Monday at Little Falls Lutheran Care Center. Burial will be in the St. Patrick's Parish Cemetery, Minden Township, Benton County. Visitation for relative and friends will be from 9 – 10:45 a.m. Thursday morning in the Church Narthex. Arrangements are with Wenner Funeral Home, Cold Spring, MN. Bernard was born in St. Cloud, MN to Ellsworth and Alvina (Rau) Balder. He married Charlene Grow on June 17, 1953 in St. John's Catholic Church, Foley, MN. Bernard was an owner/operator in the trucking industry until his retirement in 1993. He loved farming, fishing, golfing, playing the concertina, polka dancing with Charlene and being with his grandchildren. Bernard was a member of St. Boniface Catholic Church. Survivors include his loving wife of 61 years, Charlene; children, Julie (Mike) Montour, Linda Balder, Donna (Kurt) Baumgartner, Bernard (Kim) Balder; siblings, Teresa (Leo) Moore, Carol (Ernie) Jurek, Doris (Leonard) Powell, Jim (Bertie) Balder; grandchildren, Adam (Caitlin) Baumgartner, Aaron Baumgartner, Andrew Baumgartner, Brian Montour, Joshua Balder and Emily Balder. He was preceded in death by his siblings, Mary Farley, Lucietta Stang and David Balder.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bernard J. Balder*

January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ *Dear Aunt Charlene & family,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you now. While I am sharing in your sorrow, I am also celebrating the life of my Uncle Bernard. May you find peace and comfort in the memories you hold dear. With love, admiration and heartfelt sympathy, Karen*

**Karen Powell Schroer** - May 08, 2014 at 09:50 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you as you navigate through this difficult time. I pray for God's peace and comforting - as you celebrate and remember. LOVE and HUGS.*

**Dan Peterson** - May 07, 2014 at 09:56 AM



“ *I just wanted to take a moment to express my condolences to the Balder family. I am very sorry to hear of your loss. You are in my thought and prayers. Love to all of you, Stephanie*

**Stephanie Lund (grow)** - May 06, 2014 at 06:10 PM