



## Francis "Frank" Klappa

February 2, 2011

Francis "Frank" Klappa, age 75 Richmond May 27, 1935 – January 30, 2011 A Memorial Service will be 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, February 2, 2011 at the Wenner Funeral Home in Richmond, MN for Francis "Frank" Klappa, age 75, who died Sunday at the St. Cloud Hospital surrounded by his loving family. There will be a gathering of Relatives and Friends from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. at the Wenner Funeral Home in Richmond (151 Oakwood Ave. S.E) on Wednesday morning. Frank was born in Wisconsin Rapids, WI to Titus and Cecelia (Pavloski) Klappa. He married Wilda Velandar on October 8, 1954 in Minneapolis. Frank was a devout family man. He worked as a Salesman with the 'gift of gab' and also was a Reel Repairman. Frank held different jobs in his career and made many friends in the process. He enjoyed football, fishing, camping with family and friends, singing, a good conversation and was an avid bird watcher. Anyone who met Frank will always remember his warm smile and firm handshake. He was a member of St. Boniface Parish, Cold Spring Area Maennerchor and past President of Sauk River Chain of Lakes Association. Survivors include his loving wife of 56 years, Wilda; children, Steve (Sue), Diane (Terry) Lee, Lynn Keate, Julie (David) Ferry and Chuck (Debbi); 15 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; sister, Margaret Heafey; brother-in-law, Charles (Jeanne) Velandar and many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Robert.

# Tribute Wall



“ Francis "Frank" Klappa

January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ Prayers for peace and healing

**Joseph, Jen, Trey, Davis, Leo & Gus** - February 01, 2011 at 06:51 PM



“ Many prayers are with you all from St. Michael Catholic Church. The children of Ms. Julie's Cherub Choir send their love and warm hugs!

**Jennifer Krueger** - February 01, 2011 at 06:40 PM



“ I am so very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

**Cathy Satern** - February 01, 2011 at 08:50 AM



“ I know this is a difficult time for all of you. Know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Sandy Mader

**Sandy Mader** - February 01, 2011 at 08:16 AM