



Gerald H. Olson

May 22, 1927 - September 12, 2020

A Memorial Service will be 10:00 a.m., Thursday, September 17, 2020 at Peace Lutheran Church, Cold Spring for Gerald H. Olson, age 93, who died Saturday at the VA Health Care System in St. Cloud, MN. Those attending the service must wear a mask and maintain social distancing. The service will be live streamed on Peace Lutheran Church's facebook page. A gathering of relatives and friends will be one hour prior to the service at the church.

Gerald was born on May 22, 1927 in Spring Valley, WI to Joel and Elloweene (Bartelt) Olson. He served in the US Navy during WWII. Gerald married Lorraine Adank on October 15, 1949 in Eau Claire, WI. He worked as an electrician and enjoyed fishing, polka dancing, being involved with the Boy Scouts and spending time with his family.

Survivors include his children, Bonnie Baker, Julie Bennett, Jim "Mitch" Olson, Barry Olson; brother, Myron Olson,

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lorraine; brothers, Ted and Joe Olson; sister, Lilian Jacobson; grandson, Jeremy Baker.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 17. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Peace Lutheran Church
1000 Red River Ave. No.
Cold Spring, MN 56320

Service

SEP 17. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gerald H. Olson*

January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ *To Jerry's family: I am a volunteer at the St. Cloud VA and had the privilege of meeting Jerry at Bingo out there. He was one of the nicest, kindest, humble, most gracious men that I have ever met in my life. He would help several other Veterans with their Bingo cards and it wouldn't bother him if they won and he didn't.. I would take the time and sit down or hunch down beside his chair to talk to him after we were done with Bingo. I hated to leave and I knew that he hated me to leave. He had so many military stories to tell. What a memory! Hopefully, he has an audience in heaven to listen to him now. May he rest in peace. You have my condolences.*

Betty Freihammer, ALAux., VFW Aux. - September 18, 2020 at 04:17 PM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Gerald H. Olson.*



September 16, 2020 at 09:52 AM

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“ *My heart goes out to Bonnie and her family. I met her Dad when I was in Nursing school with Bonnie. He was a wonderful man with a great sense of humor and could always take a tease. May God Bless and Keep You.*



Kathy Margaret Lynn Josephson - September 15, 2020 at 06:23 PM