



Joseph Larson

October 21, 1941 - November 13, 2022

NORWAY- Joseph Francis Larson age 81 of Norway, died Sunday, November 13, 2022 at his home in Norway, MI.

He was born in Norway on October 21, 1941, the son of the late Edward and Marie (Panis) Larson.

Joe served his country in the US Army from 1964 to 1966.

He married Sharon DeYonghe on August 9, 1969 in St. Mary's Church in Norway.

Joe worked as a truck driver for several years then started working for the City of Norway, retiring as supervisor of the street department in 1998. After his career with the city, he worked part-time for Morin Excavating for 15 years.

Joe loved going to camp and spending time with his family, he enjoyed collecting Model A's and tractors.

He was a member of the Dickinson County Fair Board, UP Whitetails and the Hall-Dewinter Post #145 American Legion in Norway.

Joe is survived by his wife of 53 years Sharon; daughters Cheryl (Bobby)

Kordus of Oak Creek, WI and Suzanne (Matt) Ledvina of Luxemburg, WI; grandchildren Kyanna DeBakker, Matthew Kordus, Mila and Matthew Ledvina; great granddaughter MaKenzie DeBakker; brother Donnie (Mary Jane) Larson of Norway; sister Roseann Frehse of Florence, WI; aunt Rita Bjorkman of Marinette, WI; niece Wendy Frehse; nephew Ed (Teresa) Larson; many special friends and neighbors.

He was preceded in death by his brother-in-law Mike Frehse.

Visitation will be held on Monday, November 21, from 10-12 p.m. at the Ortman Funeral Home in Norway.

Funeral Services will be held on Monday at 12 p.m. at the Ortman Funeral Home, with Rev. Jim Danielson, pastor of Evangelical Covenant Church, officiating.

Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 21. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Ortman Funeral Home
618 Norway Street
P.O. Box 155
Norway, MI 49870
(906) 563-5700
ortmanfuneralhome@norwaymi.com
<https://www.ortmanfuneralhome.com/>

Service

NOV 21. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Larson.* ”



November 19, 2022 at 04:59 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Joseph Larson.* ”



November 18, 2022 at 10:25 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joseph Larson.* ”



November 17, 2022 at 08:52 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Larson.* ”



November 15, 2022 at 11:25 AM