



Clayton Harold Eck

February 22, 1939 - May 8, 2015

Clayton H. Eck, age 76, of Richland Center died Friday, May 8, 2015 at Meriter Hospital in Madison, Wisconsin. He was born on February 22, 1939 in Waterloo Township, Grant County the son of Raymond and Bernice (Hall) Eck. Clayton joined the United States Navy in the late 1950's. On January 8, 1960 he married Doris M. Kitelinger in Lancaster, Wisconsin. Clayton loved his John Deere Tractors, Ford Trucks, collecting toy John Deere tractors, and going to farm auctions. He was a valuable member of the morning McDonalds coffee club. He could fix and build most anything. Clayton enjoyed picking on his grandchildren and being with his great grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife of 55 years Doris Eck of Richland Center; 3 children, Tony Eck of Richland Center, Debbie Mueller of Mazomanie, Connie Knothe (friend Randy Olson) of Richland Center; 5 grandchildren, Nicole (Ryan) Bond of Spring Green, Matthew Mueller of Richland Center, Danielle (Dustin) Grassman of Hillpoint, Taylor Knothe of Richland Center, Emily Knothe of Richland Center; 4 great grandchildren, Ailena Mueller, Max Bond, Jackson Bond, Parker Grassman; 2 brothers, Robert (Phyllis) Eck of Lancaster, Roger (Shirley) Eck of Tomah; 3 sisters, Vivian Alcott of Lancaster, LaVon "Bonnie" (Al) Miller of Madison, Betty (Paul) Pluemer of Platteville; other relatives and friends.

Clayton was preceded in death by his parents, 2 brothers Stanley and Virgil

Eck.

Funeral Services will be held on Thursday, May 14, 2015 at 11:00 AM at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home in Richland Center with Pastor Ed Jones officiating. The Local Military's Honors Unit will provide military graveside rites at the Willow Valley Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Wednesday May 13, 2015 from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home and also on Thursday from 10:00 AM until the time of services at 11:00 AM. On line condolences can be made at www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry and saddened for your family's loss of this very special man to all of you. I didn't know him well or long but could tell he was a pretty nice guy and that he meant alot to all of you. I met him at Danielle and Dustin's wedding. Dustin is my son. May he rip and may all of you be at peace in his resting.

doraine grassman - richland center, WI - friend - May 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ My condolences to Clayton's family. Your actions as a good neighbor will long be remembered in the Ithaca community.

Mark Miller - colorado springs, CO - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ ROBERT LEWIS STEPHENSON 1850-1894

*Here he lies where he long'd to be;
Home is the sailor, home from the sea,
And the hunter home from the hill.*

Richard E. Dieter - richland center, WI - Friend - May 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ I will miss you Clayton....you never know where we can run into you at...but your smile lit up the room...and that laugh...your special laugh....so make sure you watch over your family no matter where you are...and drive that Deere into heaven....

Valerie Zoellick Mueller - hillpoint, WI - friend - May 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ We are saddened at hearing the passing of your husband, dad and grandpa and will be holding the entire family in our prayerssending love and prayers from Ohio....May God give you strength and peace this week and in the days ahead??

Judy Green, Bob and Connie Ballah - london, OH - friend - May 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ We send our condolences to Doris, Tony, Connie, and Deb, and the rest of the family. He was a great neighbor and always there if you ever needed him. He will be greatly missed.
Sincerely, Aaron, Karla and the boys

Aaron and Karla Anderson - hayward, WI - old neighbors, friends - May 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ You are all in my thoughts & prayers

Colleen Breunig - Spring Green, WI - May 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM