



## Florian Lester Paschelke

May 9, 1932 - February 16, 2012

Florian L. Paschelke, age 79, of rural Ithaca died Thursday, February 16, 2012 at the Richland Hospital. He was born May 9, 1932 in Strickland, Wisconsin the son of Alois & Irene (Shinler) Paschelke.

Survivors include his care providers Ed, Colleen, & Leah Uhlenhake of Ithaca; care provider he called "sister" Anita Walker of Richland Center; guardian Sheila Paulson of Barron, Wisconsin; past & current staff & house mates at Valley View Home for the past 17 years in rural Ithaca.

He was preceded in death by his parents, other relatives & friends.

Funeral Services will be held on Tuesday, February 21, 2012 at 6:00 PM at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home in Richland Center. Visitation will be held on Tuesday from 4:00 PM until the time of services at 6:00 PM. Burial will be held on Friday, February 24, 2012 at 11:00 AM at the Forest Hills Cemetery in Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. The Clary Memorial Funeral Home in Richland Center is assisting the family with arrangements. On line condolences & pictures can be made at [www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com](http://www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

AP

“ Today I said goodbye to Florian at his final resting place in Chippewa Falls. He will , however, live on forever in my heart and memories. I will remember how he loved riding the train in North Freedom. He liked going on rides. One ride in particular was to Ladysmith. We went there to meet with his guardian. He sang most of the way there and back. It was such a great day. I will miss him so much. Love you Florian- Rest in peace my dear friend/brother.

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**Anita - Richland Center, WI - Care Provider/sister** - February 24, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ What a blessing this completely unpretentious, enigmatic man was in my life. I was privileged to partake of his small world as one of his caregivers. Not a day passed in this short year that his little charms and songs didn't bring a smile. Shrouded in mystery then, as now. Dear Florian.

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**Lina Palionis - Lone Rock, WI - Friend** - February 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Florian will be dearly missed by all that knew and loved him. Florian made a difference in so many lives and could touch your heart and soul with a smile, comment, or song. He made a difference in this world and will never be forgotten.

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**Sheila Paulson** - February 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

EF

“ Florian Lived with us for the last 17 years. My brother will be missed greatly.

*He filled our lives with joy, and hope for everyone with a disability, can live a long and fruitful life. Our life would not have been as blessed without knowing this gentile soul. we all love you very much and will miss you forever.*

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**Ed & Colleen Uhlenhake - Richland Center - Care Givers aka Family** - February 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Our sympathy to you and your family of the passing of Florian. We were so blessed to get to know Florian. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. Joe, Marla and family

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**Joe and Marla Zarate and family - Sauk City , WI - friends** - February 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Flo will be greatly missed by all who knew him. I'll always remember him for his singing and his smile that could melt your heart. Rest well Flo Jo.

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**Kristi Hoffine - Cazenovia, WI - friend** - February 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ I'm so sad to hear of Florian's passing. He had such a peaceful wonderful soul...always taking everything in around him so quietly and so observant. One thing is for sure...he was surrounded by a family that loved him dearly! Thinking of you all during this hard time. Love Krystal

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**Krystal Heiser - Richland Center, WI** - February 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM