



Dean Wishmeyer

March 6, 1933 - October 11, 2015

CEDAR FALLS-W. Dean Wishmeyer, 82, of Cedar Falls, died Sunday, October 11, 2015 at the Western Home Communities- South Cottage. He was born March 6, 1933, in Humeston, IA, the son of Cecil and Leona Rynor Wishmeyer. He married Terumi Morii in Japan. She died December 5, 1985. He then married Lois Brown.

Dean graduated from Humeston High School in 1951 and served in the United States Army from 1952-1955. He was employed as a Quality Control Inspector at John Deere from 1959 until his retirement on March 17, 1989. He was a member of Masonic Lodge #65, El kahir Shrine, Yorkrite, UNI Athletic Club, UAW 838 and the Sartori Hospital Auxiliary.

Survived by his wife of Cedar Falls; one son, Duane (Nancy) Wishmeyer of Highlands Ranch, CO ; two daughters, Dr. Janet (Barry Harper) Rettenmaier of Eldorado Springs, MO and Jolynn Wishmeyer (Randy Terpstra) of Cedar Falls; step son, Mark (Teresa) Brown of Gallatin, TN; two step daughters, Sue Beaupre of Minnesota and Barbara (Jon) Ford of Arvada, CO; four grandchildren; six step grandchildren; and one step great granddaughter.

Preceded by: one brother, Willis Wishmeyer

Services are scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, October 14, 2015 at Nazareth Lutheran Church in Cedar Falls, with interment in the Waterloo Memorial Park Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Richardson Funeral Service in Cedar Falls, where there will be a Public Masonic Service 7:00 p.m. Full Military Honors provided by the Cedar Falls

AMVETS Post #49. Online condolences may be left at www.richardsonfuneral.com. Memorial contributions may be directed to the Nazareth Lutheran Church kitchen fund, Friends of GBPAC, or the Western Home Foundation.

He was an active volunteer with the Red Cross, Cedar Falls Senior Center, Association of Retired Americans, church, Allen Hospital and the GBPAC.

Cemetery Details

Waterloo Memorial Park Cemetery

3430 W 4th Street
Waterloo, IA 50701
(319) 232-4165

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 13. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3525
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Public Masonic Service

OCT 13. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

OCT 14. 10:30 AM (CT)

Nazareth Evangelical Lutheran Church
7401 University Avenue
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-7589
<http://naz.org>

Tribute Wall

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“ Dean and his wife and kids used to be our neighbors on Ridgeway in Waterloo. Their kids were younger then we were...but they stopped by on Christmas when me brother and sister and I were home in Waterloo with our husbands and families. I remember the water fight that started at our supper table and ended up with them and one other neighbor having a water fight. He was sn awesomd neighbor. The Witt family will always remember him and the family. May God wrap his loving arms around your whole family at this time. Ardell (Witt) French from Bloomfield Ia.



Ardell (Witt) French - October 18, 2015 at 10:12 PM

PA

“ Our condolences to the family. Phil has many memories of taking care of the girls horses over the years and was saddened to hear of Dean's passing. We hope that time will heal the sorrow that comes with losing a loved one. Sincerely Dr. Phil and Pat Edler

Pat - October 14, 2015 at 07:42 PM

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“ Thank you for asking the Cedar Falls AMVETS Honor Guard to conduct full military rites for Dean's funeral today. It was a privilege to honor his service to our country in the US Army.

*Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49
Honor Guard*

Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49 - October 14, 2015 at 02:01 PM

 Gloria
Guldager
Smith

“ *Lois. As we were mourning Dean's passing, we went back through our photos to remember the last time that we were able to visit with you and Dean. The attached photo reminds us of all of the good times we had visiting you on our trips to Cedar Falls. I have always been grateful for the opportunities we had to stay in touch and appreciated how you and Dean have always welcomed me and my children into your home. We will miss Dean greatly, but look forward to the next opportunity we have to visit you. With love and hugs, Gloria, Scott, Benjamin & Carlton*



Gloria Guldager Smith - October 13, 2015 at 05:29 PM

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“ *Lois, my sincere condolences to you & your family on Dean's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you. He will be missed at GBPAC. - Eileen Gunderson*

Eileen Gunderson - October 13, 2015 at 08:22 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dean Wishmeyer.*



October 12, 2015 at 11:55 PM

 Gloria
Guldager
Smith

“ *Lois, we are so sorry to hear this news. Please know that we are thinking of you and the entire family and send you our deepest sympathies. Wish we could be there with you. With much love, Gloria, Scott, Benjamin and Carlton.*



Gloria Guldager Smith - October 12, 2015 at 07:11 PM

TS

“ *Dearest Lois...Lani and I are praying for you in this difficult time. We have many fond memories you you both and will always remember Dean's friendly smile. Can't wait for that great reunion in heaven! We love you, Tim & Lani Schoepf*

Tim Schoepf - October 12, 2015 at 12:13 PM