



## Jerry Christensen

August 12, 1947 - January 12, 2026

Jerrold Walter Christensen, 78, died on Monday, January 12, 2025, at UnityPoint Allen Hospital in Waterloo.

He was born on August 12, 1947, in Cedar Falls, Iowa, the son of Chris and Kamilla (Andersen) Christensen. He graduated from Cedar Falls High School in 1965. On August 5, 1967, he was united in marriage to Sandra Petersen at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Cedar Falls. Jerry was employed with John Deere for 30 years before his retirement in 1995. He was also a Mason with Black Hawk Lodge and member of El Kahir Shrine in Hiawatha.

Jerry is survived by his wife, Sandy of Dike; daughter, Jennifer (Eric) Steeves of Harwinton, CT; son, Randall (Faith) Christensen of Sioux Center; grandchildren, Michael and Kelly Steeves, April and Blaze Christensen; and Barbara Fiddler, Laura Kremer, and Javier Villalpando and great grandchild, Viviana Merli.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Marlys Smith and Ann Marie Seavey.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday, January 17, 2026, at Fredsville Lutheran Church in Cedar Falls. Visitation will be 4:00 – 6:00 p.m. Friday, January 16th at Richardson Funeral Service in Cedar Falls, and also one hour

prior to the funeral at church.

Memorials may be directed to the El Kahir Shriners or Fredsville Lutheran Church.

Online condolences at [www.richardsonfuneralservice.com](http://www.richardsonfuneralservice.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **16**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

JAN **17**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Fredsville Lutheran Church  
32756 150th Street  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613

# Tribute Wall

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“ Oh my goodness , Sandy, so sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. Thinking of you at this sad and difficult time. Ron and Marcia

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marcia - January 21 at 08:22 AM

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“ Bob Partridge purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Jerry Christensen.



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Bob Partridge - January 14 at 05:14 PM

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“ Bob Partridge planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jerrold "Jerry" Walter Christensen.

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Bob Partridge - January 14 at 05:14 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Jerry Christensen.



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January 14 at 01:55 PM