



Maynard "Chick" Henderson

February 15, 1929 - February 21, 2012

Maynard P. "Chick" Henderson (1929-2012)

CEDAR FALLS- Maynard P. "Chick" Henderson, 83, of Cedar Falls died Tuesday, February 21, 2012 at Western Home Communities-Windhaven.

He was born February 15, 1929 in Algona, son of Phil C. and Minnie (Stetsen) Henderson. He married Dorothy L. Fuller on October 16, 1948 at First Baptist Church in Cedar Falls.

Mr. Henderson graduated from LaVerne High School and attended Morningside College and Iowa State Teachers College. He farmed in the Cedar Falls area over 50 years and was an Athletic Official at high school and college levels for 37 years. He was inducted into the UNI Hall of Fame, Iowa Coaches Hall of Fame, and Iowa Officials Hall of Fame.

Survived by: his wife, Dorothy of Cedar Falls; and two daughters, Linda (John) Sorensen of Clear Lake and Elizabeth (Joe) Burkett of Greensboro, NC; three grandchildren, Cory and Adam Clopton, and Laura Burkett; and one sister, Jerry Huggins of LaVerne.

Preceded in death by: two brothers, Leonard and Larry Henderson; and two sisters, Janette Cupps and Marcella Surby.

Memorial services will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday, March 17, 2012 at Richardson Funeral Service in Cedar Falls, with visitation from 10:00 a.m. until service time. He deeded his body to the Deeded Body Program at the University of Iowa. Inurnment will occur at a later date in Fairview Cemetery, Cedar Falls.

Memorials may be directed to the UNI Panther Scholarship Club, Care Initiatives Hospice (1611 West Lakes Pkwy, West Des Moines, IA 50266), or Comfort Care (2616 Orchard Dr, #A, Cedar Falls).

Tribute Wall

VS

“ *Maynard was a wonderful man and a great person. He made us a beautiful, many story bird house for the lake. He was always helping John and Linda around the cabin with everything. He will be missed by many people. We send our love and prayers to you and your family during this time of sorry. We look forward to seeing you at the cabin. Love from Valdene and Frank*

Valdene & Frank Svezia - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM

SH

“ *Oh, Linda - I am so saddened for you and yours over the loss of your dad. Goodness, but you look like him - this is a compliment! I know each life is precious, but as I read about your dad, his life seems to be especially so - positive and and meaningful to him and those around him. You'll be OK, as will others who love him, but there will always be a spot in your heart that aches with his loss.*

*Love,
Sharon*

sharon heimbuch - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM

JP

“ *I first met Maynard when Linda and John bought their lake home in the northwoods of MN. There was so much work to be done in the yard that there was a contest of wills as to who (Maynard or John) was going to quit working first! It was not Maynard! (sorry John) I think everybody at the lake is proudly displaying one of his beautiful bird houses. During the Fourth of July he was always the first one to stake his spot for our community fireworks display. We will miss his occasional visits to the lake!*

Jeffrey Parent - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM

CV

“ Dear Lois, Harold and I both remember Maynard as a official for basketball. He worked many games at Dunkerton in 1958-1961. You and your family will remember all the good times you spent together. Take care. Claudia

Claudia Vokouj - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM

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“ I will be forever grateful for the time Maynard and I spent working on the fence in the back yard. He was a bundle of cheer and encouragement. Great Neighbors! Cal

Cal & Deb lehl - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM

JM

“ Dear Lois and Family: We send our deepest condolences. We look back at our friendship of nearly 60 years with so many fond memories of good times together. Even after all of his accomplishments and awards, Chick remained the down-to-earth, easy-going gentleman that he always was. He truly was one of the all-time "good guys".

Jim and Marlene McGrew - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM

PM

“ We have been long time friends as Sports people, and socially. Maynard was a legend in stripes....SUPER OFFICIAL, even better as a friend. We have shared a ton of experiences, all with great memories.

Our prayers and sympathy are with him and his family. May he rest in peace.

Pat and Jo Mitchell - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM

DL

“ So sorry to hear of Chick's passing. He was a well known guy and so well liked. He will be missed by many. Our condolence to you and your family.

Dutch & Irene Leonard - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM

TH

“ Maynard was a special man. We always looked forward to seeing him; rode with him to a few games - Iowa/UNI and he drove to Ames to the UNI / Cyclone game - fun memories. He would stop in my office when he got near Allison, I thought that was very nice of him to take time to do that. We will miss him - Tom and Sandy Harms, Allison

Tom Harms - March 29, 2013 at 02:49 PM



“ Linda and John- our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time of sorrow.

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