



## Wesley Van Gundy

March 23, 1930 - January 12, 2021

CEDAR FALLS – Wesley “Wes” Van Gundy, 90, passed away Tuesday, Jan. 12th at UnityPoint Health- Allen Hospital in Waterloo.

He was born March 23, 1930 in Mound Prairie, MN, son of Carl and Luellen (Olson) Van Gundy. After graduating high school in Houston MN, Wes enlisted in the US Army, serving during the Korean War. On June 18th, 1955 in Houston, MN at the Stone Church, he was joined in union to Dorothy Solie. Wes worked as a machinist at John Deere for 32 years, retiring in 1987.

Wes was a member of the AMVETS Post #49, as well as the Cedar Falls Pool League. He enjoyed spending his time gardening, and with his family. Wes was an active member of Nazareth Lutheran Church.

Survived by: his wife: Dorothy Van Gundy of Cedar Falls; three children: Dave (Deb) Van Gundy of Dike, Daniel (Kristin) Van Gundy of Ankeny, and Debbie Van Gundy of Marshalltown; eight grandchildren: Nicole (Solomon) Turner of Belle Plaine, Amber (Matt) Timmer of Holland, Josh Van Gundy of Waterloo, Danielle (Gary) Carlson of Des Moines, Kailey Van Gundy of Des Moines, Wesley Dean Van Gundy of Ankeny, Chell Robinson of Ann Arbor, MI, and Tom Robinson of Marshalltown; two great grandchildren: Shailee and Kyla Timmer; as well as four brothers and two sisters.

Preceded in death by: his parents; Carl and Luellen; and three brothers: Harold, Donald, and Francis Van Gundy.

A visitation will occur on Saturday Jan. 16th at 10 a.m. at Nazareth Lutheran Church, followed by a funeral service at 11 a.m. Internment will occur at Greenwood Cemetery. Memorials may be directed to the Nazareth Lutheran Church. Military honors provided by Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49

A livestream is available for viewing at:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCyt9O4ddDSO-oUIJPfAU9DQ>

The feed will automatically pop up when the live feed begins at 10:45am Saturday.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 16. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

JAN 16. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time. Our family will be forever grateful for the love and care you provided to Alex's mother.

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**Claudia L Hovden** - January 17, 2021 at 09:37 AM

MC

“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to you Cousin Dorothy and your family. May God wrap you in His Loving arms and give you peace 🕊️. Sharon and Bill

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**Mrs Sharon E Carlson** - January 15, 2021 at 09:02 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Wesley Van Gundy.



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January 15, 2021 at 07:51 PM

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“ Kim & Marty Gjere, Kenny & Tammy Quam and family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Wesley Van Gundy.



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**Kim & Marty Gjere, Kenny & Tammy Quam and family** -  
January 15, 2021 at 11:34 AM

LS

“ Dear Dorothy and family: I was saddened to hear of the passing of Wes, but know, as you do, that he rests now in God’s arms. May God’s peace comfort you. I remember many fun family reunions at Lanesboro and your family’s farm in talking to Wes about baseball and playing card games while enjoying the potluck feasts prepared by all...My prayers are with you.  
Love in Christ, Lyle Storlie

Lyle Storlie - January 15, 2021 at 04:19 AM

SM

“ Dorothy, we are so sorry for your loss. I am Miriam’s sister. My husband and I always enjoyed going to the concerts and especially watching you and Wes dance. Sorry we won’t be at the visitation or service. You will certainly be in our thoughts and prayers. God bless. Marie and Craig Schildroth.

Schildroth Marie - January 14, 2021 at 10:29 PM

CK

“ Dear Dorothy and family , I am so sorry for the lose of Wes . I have such wonderful memories of years gone by. I wish I could be with you all at this time but I am in Arizona . Sending lots of love , hugs and prayers. May God hold on tightly to all of you. Love, Christie Kruse



Christie Kruse - January 14, 2021 at 07:47 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wesley Van Gundy.*



January 14, 2021 at 02:56 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Wesley Van Gundy.*



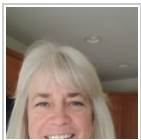
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“ *Siblings purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Wesley Van Gundy.*



**Siblings** - January 14, 2021 at 09:26 AM



“ *Wes lived in my neighborhood. I worked at Hy-Vee and met his kids, Dan and Debbie (great kids). Wes was always friendly and helpful to anyone in need. What a nice guy.*  
*Sherry Ertz*

**Sherry Ertz** - January 14, 2021 at 07:51 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Wesley Van Gundy.*



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January 13, 2021 at 09:32 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wesley Van Gundy.*



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January 13, 2021 at 08:52 PM



“ *Grampa, I'm so sorry I wasn't able to see you again. I miss you so much. I will always remember your kindness, your love, and how incredibly strong you were right up to the very end. I cannot and will not forget you. Lots of love as always, Papa Wes.*



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**Chell Robinson** - January 13, 2021 at 06:42 PM



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**Debbie Van Gundy** - January 13, 2021 at 05:17 PM