

Clifford Ellingson, age 86, of Glenfield, ND, died Thursday, April 11, 2013, at Sanford Health in Fargo, ND.

Clifford A. Ellingson was born on June 10, 1926, the son of Fanuel and Marie (Stangeland) Ellingson at Cooperstown, ND. He grew up and lived on the family farm near Glenfield. In June of 1952, Clifford was inducted into the US Army and served in Korea. He was Honorably Discharged in June of 1954. Clifford returned to the family farm and farmed there until his retirement in 1999.

He was a member of Gideons International, Prairie Faith Lutheran Church in Glenfield, served 31 years on the Board of Directors at Lutheran Home of the Good Shepherd in New Rockford, ND, served as Haven Township Treasurer for many years, and was James River Cemetery Sexton. Clifford was excellent at woodworking. He built cabinets, roll top desks, and clocks along with many other items such as children's toys, lamps, candle holders, and puzzles. Also, Clifford really enjoyed African violets and had over a dozen plants he faithfully cared for.

Clifford is survived by two sisters, Lillian Pedersen, Carrington, ND and Marvel Lindstrom, Glenfield, ND; two brothers, Franklin (Jean) Ellingson and Elroy (JoAnn) Ellingson, both of Glenfield; and 12 nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers-in-law, Gordon Pedersen and Glenn Lindstrom; one sister-in-law, Marlys Ellingson; and one niece, Malina Ellingson Larson.

A Celebration of Life



Clifford Ellingson

1926 – 2013



*God saw he was getting tired
And a cure was not to be
So He put His arms around him
And whispered, "Come to Me."*

*With tearful eyes we watched him suffer
And saw him fade away.
Although we loved him dearly
We could not make him stay.*

*A golden heart stopped beating;
Hard working hands put to rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.*

In Loving Memory Of
Clifford Ellingson

June 10, 1926 – Cooperstown, ND
April 11, 2013 – Fargo, ND

FUNERAL SERVICE
Tuesday, April 16, 2013 – 2:00 PM
Prairie Faith Lutheran Church, Glenfield, ND

OFFICIATING
Rev. Bryce Formwalt

MUSIC
Nancy Anderson, organist
Rev. Russell Christiansen and Mike Monson, soloists

CASKET BEARERS

Sherman Pedersen	Corrine Bell	Kendal Pedersen
Mark Pedersen	Kevin Pedersen	Sheila Flatt
Leanne Butt	Byron Lindstrom	Cheryl Christiansen
Brenda Zink	Craig Ellingson	Joan Sedivec

MILITARY HONORS
ND National Guard

BURIAL
James River Cemetery
rural Grace City, ND

Arrangements By
Evans Funeral Home – Carrington & New Rockford, ND
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