

Frank Ellingson, age 90, passed away Sunday, November 1, 2020, at St. Aloisius Medical Center, in Harvey, ND.

Franklin Maynard Ellingson was born March 3, 1930, to Fanuel and Marie (Stangeland) Ellingson. Frank attended country school until the 8th grade, at which point he started farming. At the young age of 16, Frank raised his first crop.

On April 10, 1954, Frank married Jean Kriewald, in Carrington, ND. Together, they were blessed with two daughters; Cheryl and Brenda.

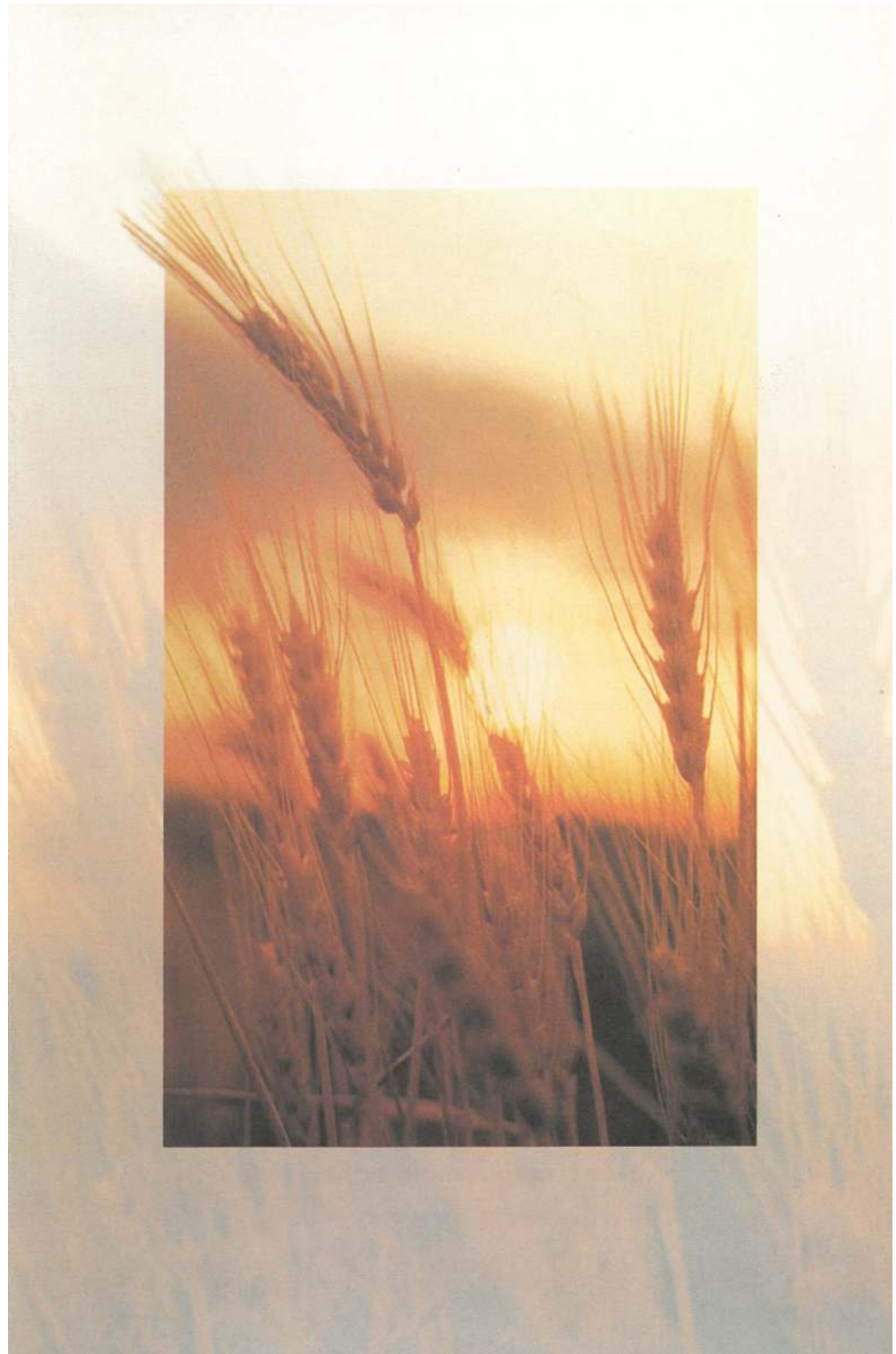
Frank had a deep love for farming and enjoyed each passing season and each step of the farming process. He also enjoyed photography and could often be found in nature trying to capture the perfect picture of a beautiful bird. Frank enjoyed computers and was always eager to learn about new technology. He also enjoyed flying radio-controlled airplanes and golfing. Frank and Jean loved to travel and did most of their travels by car, but also had the opportunity to visit a few overseas countries.

Frank enjoyed spending time with his five grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren, and having them ride along in his farm machinery.

Frank is survived by his wife of 66 years Jean; daughters, Cheryl (Pastor Russ) Christiansen, Glenfield, ND, and Brenda (Doug) Zink, Carrington, ND; grandchildren, Jeremy (Jessica) Zink, Sibley, IA, Jared (Casey) Zink, Carrington, ND, Whitney (Phillip) Hoff, Bowdon, ND, Brett (Carissa) Christiansen, Fargo, ND, and Laura (Daniel) Lemke, Inver Grove Heights, MN and twelve great-grandchildren; siblings Lillian Pedersen and Elroy Ellingson, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Frank was preceded in death by his parents; sister Marvel Lindstrom; and brother Clifford Ellingson.

In lieu of flowers, the family prefers memorials to the Salvation Army, Samaritan's Purse or a charity of your choice.





Final Harvest

He was bound to the land from the day of his birth
His roots anchored deep in the fertile earth
Nurtured, sustained, by the soil he grew
And his life, like his furrows, ran straight and true.

In faith, each spring, he planted the seeds
In hope, to reap his family's needs
With patience, he waited for the harvest to come
To gather the fruits of his labor home.

Ever turning seasons, the years sped past
Till the final harvest came at last
Then claimed anew by beloved sod
He was gathered home to be with God.

- Barbara W. Weber

In Loving Memory of
Franklin M. Ellingson

March 3, 1930 - Carrington, ND
November 1, 2020 - Harvey, ND

VISITATION

Thursday, November 5, 2020 ~ 9:00AM-5:00PM
Evans Funeral Home, Carrington, ND

PRIVATE FAMILY SERVICE

Friday, November 6, 2020 ~ 10:00AM
Evans Funeral Home, Carrington, ND

OFFICIATING

Rev. Russ Christiansen

SPECIAL MUSIC

Rev. Russ Christiansen

PALLBEAERS

Jeremy Zink ~ Jared Zink ~ Phillip Hoff
Brett Christiansen ~ Daniel Lemke ~ Doug Zink

BURIAL

Carrington Cemetery

Arrangements by
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