

## Obituary

John Herbert Swedlund was born December 20, 1940 in Wheaton, Minnesota to Herbert and Dagmar (Swanson) Swedlund. John learned a hard work ethic at the early age of twelve; He spent his early life farming and custom combining. He attended country school in rural Wheaton completing the eighth grade.

John was very mechanically inclined. He would rebuild broken vehicles, often making one car out of two. He rebuilt motors, semis and tractors. He could do anything he set his mind to. He was a man of many talents.

John was united in marriage to Connie Johnson on November 5, 1960 at the Mission Covenant Church in Wheaton. The Reverend H.R. Jacobson officiated at the double ring ceremony. To this union two daughters were born: Debra and Diedra.

John farmed until the early 1980's. He was the owner and operator of Swedlund Trucking from the early 1980's until the early 1990's. He hauled beets for Min-Dak and hauled grain for the Wheaton Dumont Elevator until his retirement.

John enjoyed camping, snowmobiling, hunting and fishing with his friends, brother Danny and grandkids.

John is survived by his wife Connie Swedlund of Rosholt, SD; two daughters: Debra Cook of Rosholt, SD; and Diedra (Scott) Klugman of Wheaton; grandchildren: John (Claire) Cook of Chandler, AZ; Anthony (Emma) Cook of Minot, ND; Michael Klugman of Morris, IL; Tyler (Alyssa) Klugman of Wheaton; and Tori (Chase) Kohler of Lake Park, MN; great-grandchildren: Capri, Quinn, Auggie, Harper, Hayden and Cooper; brother Danny (Wendy) Swedlund of Breckenridge, MN; brother-in-law Dennis Groneberg of Wheaton; and many nieces and nephews.

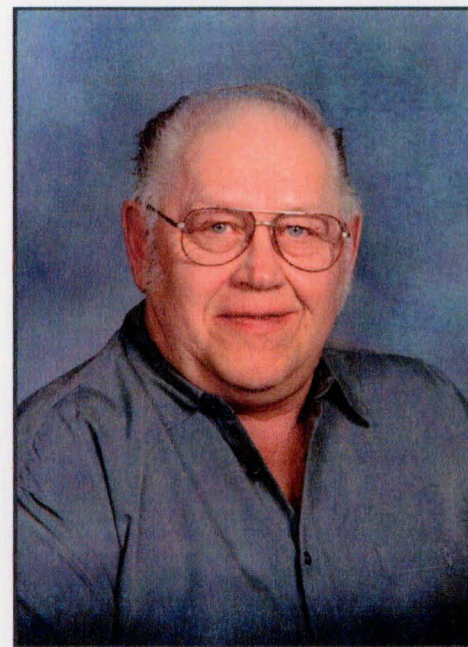
John was preceded in death by his parents; sister Sandra Groneberg; and grandson Christopher Cook.



Services In Care Of

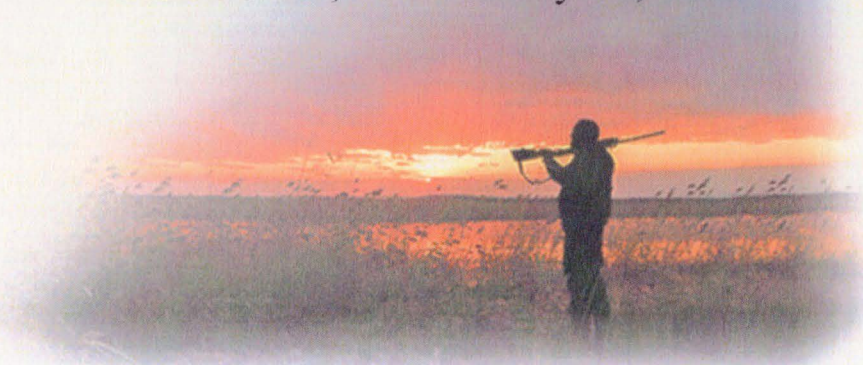
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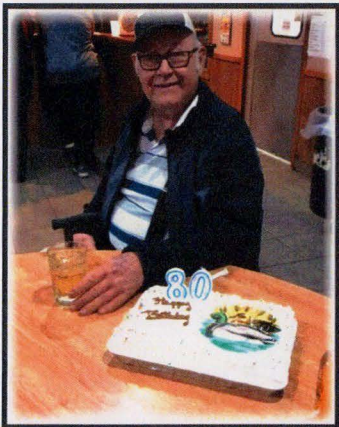
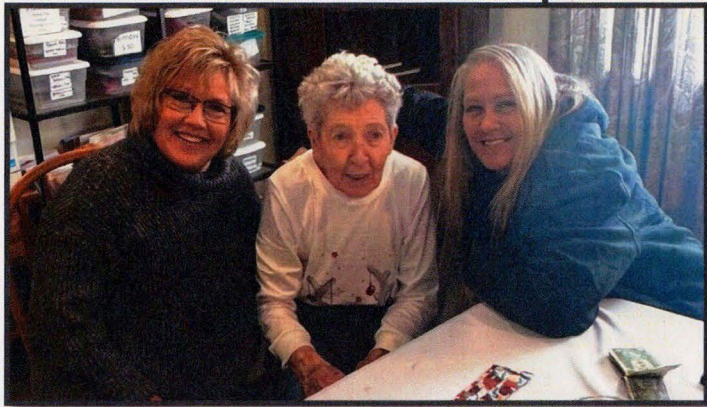


John Herbert Swedlund

December 20, 1940 ~ May 14, 2023







## In Memory Of John Herbert Swedlund

**Date of Birth**  
December 20, 1940

**Entered Into Rest**  
May 14, 2023

### Funeral Service

1:00 PM, May 20, 2023

Bethlehem Covenant Church - Wheaton, Minnesota

### Officiating

Pastor Tim Shekleton

### Pallbearers

Craig Fridgen   Lyle Lupkes   Derrick Swedlund  
Pat Peyton   Mike Peyton   Steve Kemp  
Randy Groneberg   Gordon Krumwiede

### Honorary Pallbearers

#### John's Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren

Michael Klugman, Tyler (Alyssa) Klugman, Hayden & Harper Klugman,  
Tori (Chase) Kohler, Cooper Kohler, John (Claire) Cook, Capri & Quinn Cook  
Anthony (Emma) Cook, and August "Auggie" Cook.

### Burial

West Lakeside Cemetery - Wheaton, Minnesota (at a later date)