Marlyn Lloyd Carlson, age 95, passed away peacefully on Saturday, October 24, 2026. He was a loving husband, father, grandpa, brother, and son, whose Christian faith guided his daily life. Marlyn loved Jesus with all his heart and expressed that devotion in the way he lived - praying every day for every member of his family.

Marlyn was born on February 18, 1931 to Theodore and Maybelle (Johnson) Carlson in Albert City, Iowa. He attended a country school in Trimont through eighth grade before leaving school to help his father on the farm. He spent most of his working life in implement shops, where he put his love of working with his hands to use. He also enjoyed family vacations, Bible Camp, camping, Threshing Bees, and riding his motorcycle. Marlyn loved making apple pancakes for his grandkids when they stayed with him. In retirement, he made a variety of wooden gifts for family and friends.

On October 29, 2005, he married his wife, Judy. Together, they crafted wooden items, acquired and restored old tractors, and spent several winters together in Arizona. Everyone who knew Marlyn will remember him as a kind and loving man.

Marlyn is survived by his wife, Judy; his daughters, Brenda (Jim) Harris, Marsha (Bob) Boers, Sandra Carlson, Connie (Rod) Hinz, and Valerie (Randy) Stafford; his stepson, Tom (Mindy) Eckmann; 15 grandchildren; 40 great-grandchildren; and 5 great-great-grandchildren; sister, Lois (John) Mack; brother, Billy Carlson; and other relatives and friends.

Marlyn was preceded in death by his parents; his second wife, Betty; a great-nephew, James; brothers-in-law, Marlo (Marlene) Baldwin and Stanley (Shirley) Baldwin; sister-in-law, Shirley Guetzkow and many other family members.

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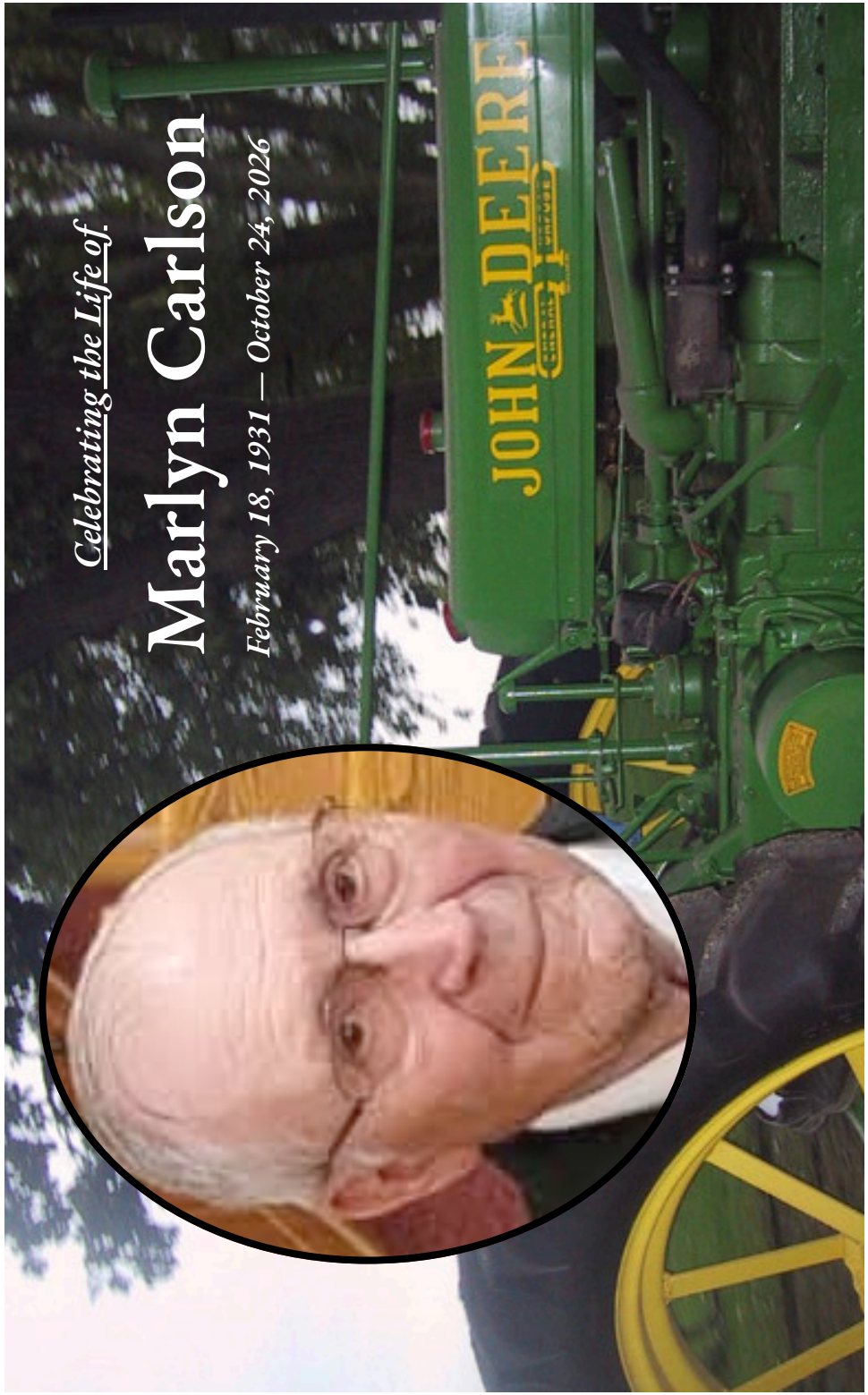
If you would like to leave a message of sympathy for Marlyn's family or view his service or tribute video you can do so by following this QR code or visiting www.sinnfuneralhome.com.



Safely Home

I am home in Heaven dear ones;
Oh, so happy and bright!
There is perfect joy and beauty
In this everlasting light.
All pain and grief is over,
Every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever.
Safely home in Heaven at last.
there is work still waiting for you,
so you must not idly stand,
Do it now, while life remaineth-
You shall rest in Jesus' land.
When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you Home;
Oh, the rapture of that meeting,
Oh the joy to see you come!

Celebrating the Life of

Marlyn L. Carlson

February 18, 1931 — October 24, 2026

Visitation

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Saturday, October 31, 2026
Sinn Family Celebration of Life Center - Trimont

Celebration of Life

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Officiating

Pastor Todd VanZee

Music

Old Rugged Cross
What a Friend We Have in Jesus

Casket Bearers

Charity Hoppe
Ryleigh Hinz
William White
Aaron White
Nick Eicholz
Brad Anderson
Layne Ebeling

Final Resting Place

Sherburn City Cemetery
Sherburn, MN

Thank You

During a time like this we realize how much our family and friends really mean to us. Your expression of sympathy will always be remembered. Please accept this as our note of thanks.

The Family of Marlyn Carlson