

Wayne Earl Sachs, age 87 of Perham, MN, passed away peacefully Thursday, November 30, 2023 in Perham Living surrounded by family. He was born September 27, 1936 in St. Paul, MN to George and Esther (Groff) Sachs.

Wayne went to Rosemount High School and then continued his education to be an iron worker. He worked as an iron worker for over 40 years, helping to construct several bridges and buildings in Minnesota, Wisconsin, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming, and Iowa. He was part of the IIDS Center in Minneapolis and was involved in helping build the High Bridge in St. Paul.

Wayne was united in marriage to Roberta "Bobbie" Zehm on October 20, 1973. Together they raised their blended family with eight children: Sheldon, Marshal, Colleen, Doug, Debbie, Douglas, Donette, and Dwight. They loved each other very much and recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

Wayne was a master gardener in the Lady Slipper Garden Club of Perham for many years and also in the Lions Club. He enjoyed going out West for hunting, attending Hosta conventions in many places, and loved life and hosting parties on the lake.

After his retirement, Wayne worked as a handyman with his good friend Jim. Together they worked on most of the homes on Little Pine Lake. They also converted a home into an assisted living home known as The Autumn Manor.

Preceding Wayne in death were his parents, George and Esther Sachs; sisters, Georgia Ruzicka and Elvira Gruett; special nephew, David Berquist; and stepchildren, Debbie, Dwight, and Douglas.

Surviving Wayne are his sweetie, Bobbie; children, Sheldon, Marshal, Colleen, Doug, and Donette; many grandchildren; and great-grandchildren. Wayne will be missed greatly.

In lieu of flowers, please plant a Hosta in your favorite spot in memory of Wayne.

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In Loving Memory



Wayne Earl Sachs

September 27, 1936 - November 30, 2023

Memorial Service

Tuesday, December 5, 2023 at 12:00 p.m.
Perham Living Chapel

Officiated By
Pastor Eric Clapp

Honorary Urnbearers

Timmy Berg - Terry Cole - Hyman Coleman
Chase Gates - Danne Herme - David Herme
Jeff Herme - Chad O'Brien ~ Shawn M. O'Brien

GOD saw you were getting tired,
When a cure was not to be.
He closed his *Arms*
around you and whispered,
"Come To Me."
In tears we saw you sinking,
we watched you fade away.
Our *Hearts*
were almost broken,
you fought so hard to stay.
But when we saw you sleeping
so peacefully, free from pain,
we should not wish you back to suffer that again.
So treasure him, Lord, in your garden of rest.
For here on earth,
He Was The Best.