Eugene W. Edwardson, age 93, Carrington, ND, passed away peacefully in the early morning hours of March 27, 2025 at CHI Carrington Medical Center, due to complications from congestive heart failure.

Eugene was born October 29, 1931, in Carrington, ND, to Olaf M. and Willett E. (Bonnie) Edwardson. He was raised on the family farm in rural Carrington, and attended a one room school in Nordmore township through the 8<sup>th</sup> grade. He worked on the family farm raising cattle, small grains, flax, and sunflowers.

On October 3, 1954, Eugene was united in marriage to Clara Ann Reise. Eugene and Clara made their home on the family farm. Eugene was a graduate of the National Radio Institute correspondence course where he learned to repair televisions, two-way radios, and small electrical appliances. In addition to farming, he operated Eugene's Electronics and Sound from the mid 1960's through the mid 1980's, in which he sold and serviced televisions, two-way radio systems, and also installed public address systems in several area churches.

Eugene was confirmed at Kvernes Lutheran Church of rural Carrington, where he was an active member for many years. In later years, he was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Carrington, and more recently attended Federated Church in Carrington.

Eugene enjoyed the outdoors, namely hunting deer, pheasant, and waterfowl. In 2018, he had a North Dakota elk tag and successfully harvested a respectable bull elk. He also enjoyed photography, drives in his Polaris Ranger, and watching the Outdoor channel on his big screen TV. He had a jolly attitude and enjoyed making people laugh over his stories and humorous sayings.

Eugene is survived by his wife of 70 years, Clara; his son, Steven Edwardson and his wife Diane, West Fargo, ND; granddaughters Olivia Edwardson, and Megan (Eric) Johnson, Fargo, ND; sisters Nancy (Gary) Manuel, Houston, TX and Myrna Gullion, Houston, TX.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother (Martin), and a sister (Elinore).

In lieu of flowers, please designate donations to the cemetery fund of Kvernes Lutheran Church, rural Carrington.





Eugene Edwardson

OCTOBER 29, 1931 - MARCH 27, 2025

# A Hug From Heaven

Don't be sad - I'm here with Jesus. Don't be sad and please don't cry. I'm right here ... I've never left you ...Don't you know that love can't die? I am safe and warm and happy. As I've never been before, Seeing Jesus face to face was more. Than I had bargained for. As you speak, I'm right beside you. As you walk, I'm by your side Close your eyes and you'll see clearly. That my Spirit has not died. Everyone's on earth for reasons. Man can't fully comprehend But in heaven, I've seen clearly. Justice triumphs in the end. Understand my love surrounds you. In a way you cannot see Feel it, sense it, trust it's presence. Have some patience. Let me be. Do not waste another moment! Give to God complete control Of worries that concern you. And your heart and mind and soul. Wake each day in joyful gladness. Knowing we're not far apart. Look to Jesus for the answers...He will heal your broken heart. But above all, please remember. There's no need for you to cry. I'm right here! I've never left you! Don't you know that love can't die? ~ Contributed by J. Mattson

# Celebrating A Life Well Lived

# Eugene Willis Edwardson

October 29, 1931 – Carrington, ND March 27, 2025 – Carrington, ND

# **VISITATION**

Tuesday, April 1, 2025 1:00PM - 2:00PM Trinity Lutheran Church, Carrington, ND

### **FUNERAL SERVICE**

Tuesday, April 1, 2025 2:00PM Trinity Lutheran Church, Carrington, ND

#### **OFFICIATING**

Rev. Rick Loewen Rev. Ritchie Cole

## **SPECIAL MUSIC**

Teresa Edland ~ Pianist Darwin Solberg ~ Soloist

Congregational Hymns What a Friend We Have in Jesus #742 Blessed Assurance #638

# **PALLBEARERS**

Brad Miller ~ Bruce Gussiaas ~ David Swanson ~ Mark Seastrand Michael Murphy ~ Mitchell Charles ~ Duane Lura

# HONORARY PALLBEARERS

All of Eugene's Family and Friends

#### BURIAL

Kvernes Lutheran Cemetery, rural Carrington, ND

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