



Merle Hurd

August 11, 1935 - May 24, 2025

Merle Hurd, 89, of Spirit Lake passed away on Saturday, May 24, 2025, at his home in Spirit Lake.

Per his wishes, there will be no services held. Arrangements are under the direction of the Robinson Funeral Home in Spirit Lake. Online condolences may be left at www.spiritlakefuneralhome.com

Merle was born on August 11, 1935, in East Lake, MN, to Fred and Eva (Berry) Hurd. After his honorable discharge from the US Navy, he was united in marriage to Charlotte Burley on August 21, 1955.

He was employed by A&C Farms, John Morell, Packing Plant in Estherville and would mow several lawns in the lakes area. He later owned and operated Hurd Construction. In his free time, he and Charlotte would enjoy riding motorcycles and spending the last 25 years wintering in Arizona.

He is survived by his wife Charlotte Hurd of Spirit Lake; daughters Deb Coleman of Superior and Judi Parsons and her husband John Willard of Lewisville, TX; 10 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, mother and father in law's, sons

Bob and Randy, daughter Linda, two brothers and one sister and a great grandson.

Tribute Wall

JM

“ Jim & Jody Meizelis lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd



Jim & Jody Meizelis - June 09, 2025 at 07:32 PM

JM

It was our pleasure to know Merle and winter near him and Charlotte in Arizona. Charlotte and family, our loving thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. We shall miss both of you in the years to come.

Jim & Jody Meizelis - June 09, 2025 at 07:36 PM

PT

“ I am so sorry about Merles passing. He was a fun person to visit with. Prayers for all.



Paula E Krogman Tietz - June 07, 2025 at 04:33 PM

SW

“ I remember the birds in Merles back yard and always think of him when I see birds. When I was a kid, and visited iowa, he always had cans of soda for everyone.



Shawna Wahl - June 04, 2025 at 07:16 PM

LC

“ *Linda Christoffer lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd*



Linda Christoffer - June 02, 2025 at 04:12 AM

TW

“ *I'm so sorry to hear this. God Bless Merle and may the Lord's light shine bright on Charlotte, Deb and Judy as they continue on. Merle and his family were one of the best neighbors we ever had, he will be missed.*

Terry and Carmen Wiese - May 28, 2025 at 03:23 PM

MS

“ *Dear Charlotte, Deb, and Judy, You are in my thoughts and prayers. I have many fond memories of the times we shared as next door neighbors and cycle enthusiasts. May the love of God surround you all with comfort and peace during your time of sorrow.*

Marcia Sangel - May 28, 2025 at 12:58 PM

JH

“ *Johnny Huntsinger lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd*



Johnny Huntsinger - May 27, 2025 at 08:09 PM

CA

“ Thinking of the family, Diane King Thornburg (cousin)

Candee - May 27, 2025 at 06:32 PM

PB

“ Paul Bakke lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd



Paul Bakke - May 27, 2025 at 05:31 PM

PB

Know Merle n his wife used to hang out with my mom and dad carol and sarge

Paul Bakke - May 27, 2025 at 05:32 PM

JM

“ My condolences to Merle's family, from a friend from Superior. Jerome Millsap



Jerome Millsap - May 27, 2025 at 02:22 PM

RT

“ Ray And Diane Tucker lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd



Ray and Diane Tucker - May 27, 2025 at 02:21 PM

DR

“ Thoughts and Prayers are with you all,
Charlotte, Deb, and Judy. He is at peace!!



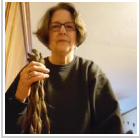
Deb Reiter - May 27, 2025 at 01:33 PM

SK

“ Sally Kness lit a candle in memory of Merle
Hurd



Sally Kness - May 26, 2025 at 08:30 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Merle's passing. So many memories of all the
great times at the Hurd house. Much love and BIG hugs to you all.

Charly Godfredsen - May 26, 2025 at 01:23 PM

KW

“ Losing a father is hard, Deb. GODs blessings to you and your
family.

Kay Wilson - May 26, 2025 at 01:16 PM

ML

“ *Mary Eddy Linton lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd*



Mary Eddy Linton - May 26, 2025 at 11:36 AM

CF

From the 'ol Steinberger gang...our sympathies to the whole family...Merl was quite a character and he and Dad raised a lot of cain together.

COLLEEN FREDERICK - May 26, 2025 at 02:45 PM

JK

“ *Charlotte, Deb, Judy and families. So sorry to hear of Merle's passing. HUGS AND PRAYERS FOR ALL OF YOU.*



Jo Kastrup - May 26, 2025 at 09:17 AM

PG

“ *I was sad to read of Merle's passing. His ready smile, quick wit and strong work ethic made him a valued A&C employee.*

Pam Carlson Grems - May 26, 2025 at 08:56 AM

FO

“ *Floyd Ogle lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd*



Floyd Ogle - May 26, 2025 at 08:33 AM

GT

“ *Sending our sympathy to Merle's family.*



Greg and Christy Thompson - May 25, 2025 at 05:40 PM

PE

“ *Pam Edmunds lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd*



Pam Edmunds - May 25, 2025 at 02:19 PM

PE

“ *Merle was a fun loving nice guy
He will be missed. R.I
PEACE*

Pam Edmunds - May 25, 2025 at 02:18 PM

KE

“ *~ To The Hurd Family ~*

*We are sorry to hear of your loss. You are in our hearts and prayers.
Merle will be missed by many of his family and friends.*

Steve and Konnie Sue (Klein) Egertson

Konnie Sue (Klein) Egertson - May 25, 2025 at 12:01 PM

LS

*Sorry to hear of Merle's passing. Thinking of you all at this time.
Prayers for you all.*

Leanne (Edwards) Smith - May 27, 2025 at 06:06 PM

FJ

“ *Fran Jungjohan lit a candle in memory of
Merle Hurd*



Fran Jungjohan - May 25, 2025 at 09:27 AM

DB

“ *Deb Bockman lit a candle in memory of Merle
Hurd*



Deb Bockman - May 25, 2025 at 12:55 AM

DB

“ *I'm sorry for your loss.
My sympathy to your family.*

Dayle Broocks



Dayle Broocks - May 24, 2025 at 09:11 PM

MD

“ Michele Dyhrkopp-Shortley lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd



Michele Dyhrkopp-Shortley - May 24, 2025 at 07:40 PM

CW

“ Cathy And Denny Worden lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd



Cathy and Denny Worden - May 24, 2025 at 07:32 PM

JB

“ Jim And Annie Bauer lit a candle in memory of Merle Hurd



Jim and Annie Bauer - May 24, 2025 at 06:09 PM