



Elwin M. Schroeder

December 1, 1929 - June 22, 2020

Schroeder, Elwin Martin Age 90, June 22, 2020

Elwin was born December 1, 1929 in Staplehurst, Nebraska, son of Martin and Bertha (Hermann) Schroeder. On June 17, 1956 Elwin married Marilyn Vorderstrasse in Chester, Nebraska.

Elwin taught in a one room school in Arapahoe, Nebraska from 1951-1955 and in Chester, Nebraska from 1955 -1959 Elwin came to Utica, Michigan in 1959 as a classroom teacher at Trinity Lutheran. He served Trinity as a classroom teacher from 1959-1968, as Assistant Principal from 1968-1978, as Research Center Director from 1973-1978, as Principal from 1978 -1984, as Minister of Christian Growth from 1984-1985, and finally as the Minister of Senior Care from 1985 until his retirement in 1997.

Beloved husband of Marilyn. Loving father of his sons Mark (Deborah) Schroeder, Kent (Rebecka) Schroeder and his daughters Jane (Don) Lozen and Lori (Jeffrey) Cline. Proud grandfather of Brian (Pamela Grant) Schroeder, Terah (DJ) Berlin, Ashley (Francisco) Gadelha, Rachel (Kevin) Windell, Andrew Cline, Kyle Schroeder, Jenna (Matt) Zech and Emily Levine. Great grandfather of Lily and Kayla Berlin and Madison and Kamden Windell.

Memorial service will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church, Utica on Thursday June, 25th at 11:30 am. Memorials appreciated to the Trinity Foundation or Trinity Community Care. Please share a memory at SullivanFuneralDirectors.com

Cemetery Details

Van Hoosen Jones Stoney Creek

Tienken Road (east of Rochester Road)
Rochester, MI

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 25. 11:30 AM (ET)

Trinity Lutheran Church
45160 Van Dyke
Utica, MI 48317

Tribute Wall



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Elwin M. Schroeder.*



June 25, 2020 at 02:27 PM



“ *Prayers for peace and comfort for Marilyn and family. We admired El for his forward thinking as an educator and forgiving nature.*
Ron and Geri Sauer

Geri Sauer - June 24, 2020 at 09:35 AM



“ *So very sorry to hear the news. He has his reward in Heaven now for all the many years he served his Lord. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May Jesus continue to hold you all close to Him as you grieve and look forward to the blessed reunion in Heaven.*
Sending much love and many hugs.

Monty; Mitch & Priscilla; Dan, Kim, Trista & Christina; & Nate Klintworth

Priscilla Klintworth - June 24, 2020 at 12:04 AM

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“ *Prayers for Peace and Strength for the Schroeder family. We have many fond memories of Mr. Schroeder, and all the ways he cared for and led the Trinity-Utica Community. Heaven gained a special Angel.-Love from the Reinhold family.*

Leann Smith - June 23, 2020 at 09:50 PM