



Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley

October 10, 1928 - October 1, 2018

NORFOLK -- Funeral service for Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley, 89, of Norfolk will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, October 6, 2018 at the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk. Graveside service will be at 3:00 p.m., Saturday, at the Magnet City Cemetery, Magnet, NE. Visitation will be 4:00-7:00 p.m., Friday, at the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk. Military rites will be conducted by the American Legion Post #16, V.F.W Post #1644, both of Norfolk, and the United States Army Honors Guard at 11:45 a.m., Saturday, at the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk.

Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk is in charge of the arrangements.

Frederick "Fred" F. Whaley, 89, passed away peacefully on Monday, October 1, 2018, at the Countryside Home in Madison, NE.

Fred was born in Callaway, NE. on Oct 10th, 1928 to Curtis and Helen Davies Whaley. During his early childhood years he lived in North Platte, NE. At age six, he and his two brothers left the city and went to live with his Grandma Whaley and family on the farm near Callaway. He stayed there for six years and learned many things about the farm and about his grandma's faith. He developed a love for these things, and they would remain with him for his entire life. After these boyhood years he went to live with his parents in San Diego and then Burbank, CA.

Fred served his country in the United States Army from October 2, 1946 to January 18, 1948. During his time in the military he was stationed in Japan, which was during the US occupation there and one of his duties was guarding

the Imperial Palace, the home of the Japanese Emperor. After returning from the service he lived for a short while in Los Angeles, CA. During that time he made his choice to serve God and never looked back. Everyone who was acquainted with him knew of his love for the Gospel of Christ.

In 1950 he moved to northeast Nebraska near Magnet, and worked as a farmhand for Albert Bartlett. It was at that time that he met his future wife Dwyla Mae Bartlett. Fred and Dwyla were joined in marriage on January 15th, 1952. They were married 64 years until Dwyla's passing on July 15th, 2016.

To this union four children were born: Cheryl, Kurtis, Kyle and Kimberly.

The family farmed near Wausa for most of their married years. Their children were all raised on the farm and attended Wausa Public Schools. Son Kyle, was taken from the family in an accident in 1973 at 11 years of age. Fred and Dwyla moved to Norfolk in 1993 where they lived until their passing.

Fred touched many lives on his journey here. He was a great husband, dad and friend to so many. He always had words of encouragement for those that were in need, and he was able to draw from many of his own experiences to help others.

Fred is survived by three children Cheryl (Rodger) Anderson, Princeton, MN., Kurt Whaley (Vicky Nickel), Sioux Falls, SD., and Kimberly Whaley Greely CO., nine grandchildren: Bill Anderson, Bjorn Anderson, Katie Anderson, Nathan Whaley, Rachel Guevara, Rebecca Whaley, Jessi Whaley, Nick Randall and Kerri Randall, nine great grand children, sister Margaret Baird Whaley, Florence OR., sister-in-law Karolyn Kleeb, O'Neill, NE., and sister-in-law Lois Bartlett, Des Moines, IA., as well as many nieces, nephews and friends. He was preceded in death by his wife Dwyla, son Kyle, his two brothers Charles Whaley, and William "Pat" Whaley and his parents.

Casket bearers will Nate Whaley, Bill Anderson, Bjorn Anderson, Nick Randall, Rod Flaugh, and Matt Johnson. Honorary casket bearers will be Roger Volk, Lynn Flaugh, Rollie Lorensen, Walt Whaley, and Charles Kleeb. Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

Cemetery Details

Magnet City Cemetery

Magnet, NE

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **5**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Service

OCT **6**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Stonacek Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley*



Stonacek Funeral Chapel - October 03, 2018 at 05:33 PM



“ *Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley*

October 05, 2023 at 03:46 AM



“ *Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley.*



October 05, 2018 at 12:11 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley.*



October 04, 2018 at 02:01 PM

VW

“ So Sorry to hear of Fred's passing. He was a great friend to visit with at Utica convention and always an uplifting spirit. Wonderful to see faithful pillars finish the race. Our best wishes to the family.
V.Lowell and Henrietta Wirtjes

V.Lowell wirtjes - October 04, 2018 at 01:23 PM

FH

“ Fred and Joan Hopkins and Rex and Julie Hopkins purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley.



Fred and Joan Hopkins and Rex and Julie Hopkins - October 03, 2018 at 04:13 PM



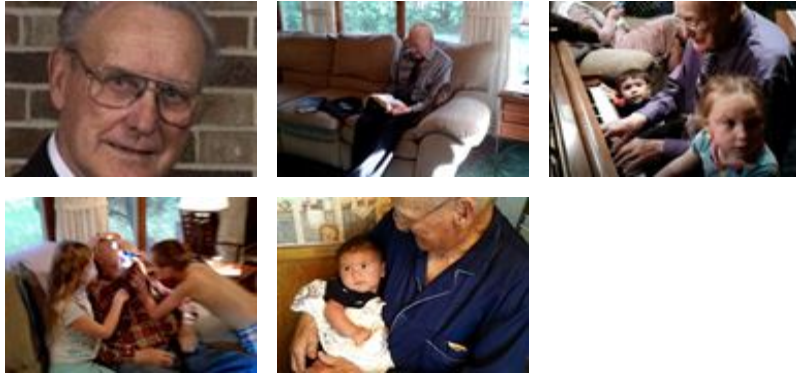
“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley.



October 03, 2018 at 02:12 PM



“ 87 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Stonacek Funeral Chapel - October 03, 2018 at 01:32 PM



“ *Maurice "Pete " & Peggy Peterson purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley.*



Maurice "Pete " & Peggy Peterson - October 03, 2018 at 12:36 PM



“ *Jim Allred lit a candle in memory of Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley*



Jim allred - October 03, 2018 at 11:12 AM

RA

“ Fred was one of the best guys in the world. I've known him for a long Time and a family friend. He will be missed very much. Thank you for being a friend. May god bless you
Randy Albrecht



Randy Albrecht - October 02, 2018 at 08:20 PM

DF

“ Your Mom and Dad were such great neighbors of my parents, Lloyd and Anna Mae Erickson. I have such fond memories of your family. Deepest sympathy to all of you at this difficult time.



Darleen (Erickson) Farwell

Darleen Farwell - October 02, 2018 at 04:38 PM

AF

“ Dear family;;
We always appreciated the faithfulness of your dad & mother. Enjoyed the book he wrote of the family and the Gospel touching and changing their lives! NOW it is real to him what he lived for!
Our sincere sympathy!
Arlene (Sager)& Ron Freesemann

Arlene & Ron Freesemann - October 02, 2018 at 01:13 PM

DB

“ Our sympathy & care to each of Fred's family. We both have many special memories of both Fred and Dwyla ~ and times spent around the family during our growing up, and young adult years! We have always appreciated their zest for life and for the Kingdom. May you all have very special memories to treasure!

Del & Lola (Redden) Beyer - October 01, 2018 at 11:57 PM

CW

“ Connie Wachter Wagner lit a candle in memory of Frederick F. "Fred" Whaley



Connie Wachter Wagner - October 01, 2018 at 06:15 PM