



## Norman C. Eckhoff

January 26, 1933 - March 15, 2015

Norman C. Eckhoff, 82 of Manteno, passed away Sunday March 15, 2015 at Miller Sojourn in Kankakee, IL. He was born in Grant Park, IL on January 26, 1933 the son of Charles and Sophie (Junker) Eckhoff. Norman was a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Grant Park, he drove a milk truck and was an avid farmer as well as working at Zeger's. His favorite hobby was baking cakes of all sorts of occasions he was especially fond and known for his wedding cakes. He is survived by his wife Ella, his children, Jeff (Gayle) Eckhoff of Shawnee, OK, Jerry Eckhoff of Houston, TX, David (Nancy) Eckhoff of Grant Park, IL and Bonnie Morns of Chebanse, IL.. Also surviving is a sister Laverne Konow of Bourbonnais, IL as well as 11 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. His parents and a sister Ruby Erichson precede Norman in death. Visitation will be held Friday March 20, 2015 from 3-8 p.m. at Hack Funeral Home in Beecher. Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday March 21, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Grant Park, IL. Burial will be in Zion Lutheran Cemetery. Rev. Cory Estby will officiate. Memorials may be directed To the Zion Lutheran Church.

# Tribute Wall

HK

“ We get the home-town news several days later here in San Antonio Texas-- Norman, Lavern, and I walked together to our one room grade school for several years. My wife and I later had the opportunity to have several "special occasion" cakes from his talented hands! An "Old Friend" who will be missed by all!!!! GOD BLESS!!!

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**Homer & Shirley Koop** - October 02, 2019 at 06:52 PM

BD

“ *Bonnie, Jerry and Dave*

*We wanted to extend our deepest sympathy to all of you on the loss of your Dad. We have some wonderful memories of both of your parents at the fairs and know he will be missed.*

*Hope you all are doing well and know are thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Always, Bill and Lynne Doogan*

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**Bill & Lynne Doogan** - October 02, 2019 at 06:52 PM

BS

“ *My deepest sympathy for your loss. I babysat for David for a while when Norman worked at Zeger's. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

*Bessie Schubbe*

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**Bessie Schubbe** - October 02, 2019 at 06:52 PM

LM

“ *Jerry and family,*

*You have my sincere condolences. May God give you and your family comfort and peace.*

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**Larry McIntyre** - October 02, 2019 at 06:52 PM

JW

“ Our Christian sympathy to the Eckhoff family. Praise the Lord for his salvation and defeat of death. "Whosoever believes in Him shall not perish but have everlasting life." I have fond memories of cake and delicious frosting...there was nothing like a "Mr. Eckhoff cake"!

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**Jan (Volkert) Werth** - October 02, 2019 at 06:52 PM

MR

“ Jeff & Gayle and Mary & Justin,  
I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. Your father / grandpa was a good man and had a great life doing what he loved to do. I hope the memories will sustain you during this difficult time. Your family is in my prayers.  
May God Bless You.  
Rick & Mary Roberts

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**Mary Roberts** - October 02, 2019 at 06:52 PM

RB

“ Dear Ella & family: We will miss Norm and our friendly visits with him. We will always remember his flower and vegetables gardens. They were always blue ribbon prize winners.

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**Roger/Charlotte Barwegen** - October 02, 2019 at 06:52 PM

RJ

“ My thoughts and prayers to the Eckhoff family during this difficult time. Norman was a wonderful person and yes, he made the cakes for all of the graduations and confirmations of my boys. He will be greatly missed.

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**RaeAnn (Hartke) James** - October 02, 2019 at 06:52 PM