Edward Dale Maschmann, 85

Edward Dale Maschmann, 85, of Victor, died January 1, 2018, at Brooklyn Community Estate in Brooklyn.

Funeral services were Friday, January 5th, at St. James Lutheran Church in Victor with Rev. Michael Kolesar officiating. Organist was Pam Cronbaugh. Pallbearers were Adam and Seth Meyer, Trenton and Matthew Maschmann and Duke and Ryan Wilgenbusch. Burial will be in the Victor Memorial Cemetery.

Visitation was held Thursday, January 4th, at the Smith Funeral Home in Victor with the family present Thursday evening.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be directed to St. James Lutheran Church, Anna Purna Ghosh Foundation in Cedar Rapids to benefit cancer patients, or Hope Foundation Compass Memorial Healthcare.

Ed was born September 6, 1932, in Victor, the son of George W. and Dassie Sims Maschmann. He was raised in the Victor area and was a graduate of Victor High School. He was a veteran of the United States Army and stationed at Fort Carson in Colorado Springs during the Korean Conflict.

On April 6, 1958, he was united in marriage with Janet E. Witte, in Homestead, Iowa. A union of nearly 60 years! The couple owned and operated, Timberview Angus Farm, north of Victor, for many years. They moved to Victor in 2004 and continued farming a couple more years, until 2006.

Ed was a member of St. James Lutheran Church, Iowa County Cattleman's Association, and Hawkeye Angus Association.

Ed believed in his faith, family and farming. He knew the value of hard work and running a successful farm operation. He enjoyed attending cattle shows and attending most of his four grandson's activities. He also enjoyed watching baseball and was a fan of the St. Louis Cardinals.

He is survived by his wife, Janet of Victor; two daughters, Marilyn (Kurt) Meyer of Williamsburg and Lori (Terry) Collingwood of Ladona; a daughter-in-law, Diane Maschmann of Victor; four grandsons, Adam (Erin) Meyer of Williamsburg, Seth (Alexa) Meyer of Marenco, and Trenton and Matthew Maschmann of Victor; and two great-grandchildren, Lane and Nolan Meyer. He was preceded in death by his parents; his son, Scott Maschmann; and a sister, Ruth Ann Williams.