

# Darwin L. Huedepohl, 72

Funeral services for Darwin L. Huedepohl, 72, Victor, formerly of Marengo, were held at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, May 4, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Marengo. He died Monday, April 30, 2007, at Mercy Medical Center, Cedar Rapids, following a brief illness.



The Rev. David MacKain and the Rev. Douglas Morton officiated at the service. Burial was in the Marengo Cemetery with military honors by Marengo American Legion Post 76. Casket bearers were Rick Frimml, Paul Timm, Loren Timm, Michael Fiebelkorn, John Kloster and Willard Hagen. Honorary casket bearers were Howard Tuttle, Howard Frimml, John Vogt, Raymond Ballard, Mark Huedepohl and Terry Huedepohl.

A memorial fund has been established. Kloster Funeral Home, Marengo, was in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be left at [www.klosterfuneralhome.com](http://www.klosterfuneralhome.com).

Darwin Loren Huedepohl was born July 9, 1934, in Williamsburg, the son of Fremont and Irene Zimmerman Huedepohl. He attended St. Paul Lutheran School and graduated from Hilton Consolidated High School, Conroy, in 1952. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1955 to 1957.

He married Phyllis Gerner April 15, 1961, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Marengo. She died in 1999.

He married Sharon Schmidt Jan. 5, 2001, at St. James Lutheran Church, Victor. He farmed in Iowa County for many years. In addition to farming, in earlier years, he worked as a meat cutter for Roehrkasse Meats, Williamsburg, and the Marengo Locker. Most recently he had been employed part-time by Kloster Funeral Home.

He served on the board of the Iowa County Cattlemen's Association, the ASCS Board, the REIC Board, the HACAP Board and the Iowa County Fair Board. He was a past trustee of Washington Township. He had been a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Marengo, where he had served on the Board of Stewardship and the Board of Education and as an elder. In his later years, he transferred to St. James Lutheran Church, Victor. He enjoyed his family and friends and his farming career, but most of all he loved and trusted in the Lord, his Savior.

Huedepohl is survived by his wife; one daughter and her husband, Colleen and Michael Conrad of Marengo; and one sister, Jasiel Timm of Victor.

In addition to his first wife, he was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Clark; and one sister, Phyllis Fiebelkorn.

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