

Maynard John Swoboda

Born: April 23, 1951

Died: April 23, 2016



Maynard J. Swoboda, 65, of Chippewa Falls, passed away Saturday, April 23, 2016 at Sacred Heart Hospital in Eau Claire.

Maynard was born April 23, 1951 in Chippewa Falls to Norbert and Lillian (Dahlka) Swoboda.

He worked for Mason Shoe Company for 25 years, owned Maynard's Auto and Small Engine Repair in Bloomer and retired in 2015 from Chippewa Valley Technical College in Eau Claire.

He married Karen Schindler on May 19, 2007 at Cabin Ridge Rides in Cadott and had 24 years of incredible love that was filled with many adventures together.

Maynard enjoyed small engine repair, fishing, gardening, spending time with friends and family, and most of all, helping others in need. He also had a passion for creating Christmas light displays for everyone to enjoy. Maynard wasn't a man of many words but he will be missed for his witty comebacks and his infamous grin that said it all. He had a gentle spirit and kind heart but was fiercely protective of those he loved and cared about.

Maynard is survived by his loving wife, Karen; three daughters, Brenda of Onalaska, Trisha (Jon) Schmidt of Eau Claire and Jenna Steinmetz (Derek Darrow) of Chippewa Falls; one son, Jacob Steinmetz of Draper, Utah; two sisters, Donna of Eau Claire and Mary Kay Schemenauer of Bloomer; two grandchildren, Madelyne Schmidt and Easton Darrow; two special nieces, Erica (Rob) Scott of Superior and Kari (Cory) Nelson of Balsam Lake; and father-in-law, Gilbert Schindler of Chippewa Falls, his great nieces and nephews and numerous cousins he had a special bond with.

Maynard was preceded in death by his parents; and mother-in-law, Eunice Schindler.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 27 at the Horan Funeral Home in Chippewa Falls. Rev. Charlie Richmond of St. Charles Church, Chippewa Falls will officiate at the services. Interment will be in Hope Cemetery in Chippewa Falls.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 26 and until the time of services on Wednesday, April 27 at the funeral home. There will be a Christian vigil service at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

AFTER SERVICE NOTICE:

A Funeral service for Maynard J. Swoboda was held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at the Horan Funeral Home in Chippewa Falls.

Rev. Charlie Richmond of St. Charles Church officiated at the services. Interment was in Hope Cemetery in Chippewa Falls.

A Eulogy was given by Rob Scott. Casket bearers were Dale Jackson, Cory Nelson, Arnie Schindler, Jon Schmidt, Henry Schneider, and Jake Steinmetz.

Tuesday evening Rev. Charlie Richmond led the family, relatives and friends in a Christian vigil service at the Horan Funeral Home.