Paul Lindgren, age 90, of Albert City, Iowa passed away on Sunday, October 21, 2018 at Pleasant View Home in Albert City.

Paul Gulberg Lindgren, the son of Eben and Amanda (Gulberg) Lindgren, was born on February 29, 1928, in his family home, where he lived all but 2 years of his life. Those 2 years (1951-1953) he served in the Army during the Korean War.

In his youth, Paul was baptized and confirmed at Our Saviours Lutheran Church in Albert City, where he was an active member. He completed his education at Albert City School. He was a member of the Legion for 65 years.

On June 27th, 1954, Paul was united in marriage to Donna Mae Wilson at St. Paul's Methodist Church in Cherokee, Iowa. The couple was blessed with 4 children: Douglas, Dennis, Neal, and Neva.

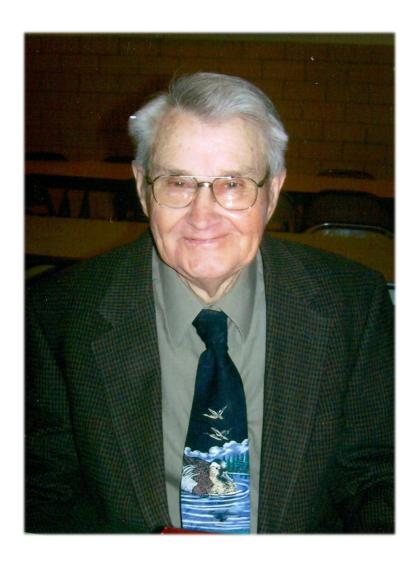
Paul was a farmer most of his life and milked dairy cows for several of those years. He also owned his own backhoe and tiled for many farmers and friends.

Paul was a lover of horses. He was always happy to take a team and haul family and friends for most any occasion, and he was very active in the annual Albert City Threshing Event. This passion lives on through his children and grandchildren. Also, in his free time he loved to fish and garden.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife of 64 years, Donna; his children: Douglas (Jody) Lindgren of Oracle, Arizona; Dennis (Carla) Lindgren of Varina, Iowa; and Neal (Deb) Lindgren of Fonda, Iowa; brother Floyd (Rosemary) Lindgren of Oneida, New York; sister Natalie Salton of Ruthven, Iowa; sisters-in-law Gene Lindgren of Albert City, Iowa and Dixie Lewis of Des Moines, Iowa; brother-in-law Carl Wilson of Johnston, Iowa; son-in-law Randy Heuton of Albert City, Iowa; grandchildren: Elizabeth (Dan) Koch, Guy (Jennifer) Lindgren, Dan (Breanne) Lindgren, Kevin (Amber) Lindgren, Josh (Katie) Lindgren, Samantha (Josh) Erie, Savanna (Brandon) Piercy, Melissa (Travis) Van Genderen, Laura (Matt) Kestel; great-grandchildren Joseph and LynnAnn Koch, Darrian Kramer and Elias Lindgren, Jennifer, Payton, Josie and Preston Lindgren, Colton, Levi and Cash Lindgren, Taylor and Jackson Zeman and Leon and Aven Erie, Hadley Piercy, Sam, Finley, Clara and Eli Van Genderen, Cole, Will, Ben, Ty and Eva Kestel; and many nieces and nephews.

Paul was preceded in death by his parents; daughter Neva Heuton, sister Shirley Beadle and brother-in-law Dick Beadle, brother Allen Lindgren, brothers-in-law Sandy Salton and Vernon Wilson, parents-in-law Elmer and Margaret Wilson.

# In Loving Memory



Paul Gulberg Lindgren 1928 – 2018

#### **CLOSE THE GATE by Nancy Kraayenhof**

For this one farmer the worries are over, lie down and rest your head, your time has been and struggles enough, put the tractor in the shed. Years were not easy, many downright hard, but your faith in God transcended, put away your tools and sleep in peace. The fences have all been mended. You raised a fine family, worked the land well and always followed the Son, hang up your shovel inside of the barn; your work here on earth is done. A faith few possess led your journey through life, often a jagged and stony way, the sun is setting, the cattle are all bedded, and here now is the end of your day. Your love of God's soil has passed on to your kin; the stories flow like fine wine, wash off your work boots in the puddle left by the blessed rain one final time. You always believed that the good Lord would provide and He always had somehow, take off your gloves and put them down, no more sweat and worry for you now. Your labor is done, your home now is Heaven; no more must you wait, your legacy lives on, your love of the land, and we will close the gate.



e wish to express our sincere gratitude for the many kindnesses evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at this service. Please join us for lunch and a time of fellowship at the church following the burial.

## - The Family of Paul Lindgren

### IN MEMORY OF

# Paul Gulberg Lindgren

February 29, 1928 — October 21, 2018

#### **FUNERAL SERVICE**

Wednesday, October 24, 2018 — 10:30 a.m.
Our Saviors Lutheran Church
Albert City, Iowa

#### **CLERGY**

Pastor John Mayer

#### **ORGANIST**

Sonia Brown

#### CONGREGATION HYMNS

"His Eye Is On The Sparrow"
"God Be With You Til We Meet Again"

#### DUET

Doug and Dennis Lindgren
"It Is No Secret"

#### HONORARY CASKET BEARERS

Elizabeth Lindgren, Samantha Erie, Savanna Piercy Melissa Heuton, Laura Heuton

#### **CASKET BEARERS**

Doug Lindgren, Dennis Lindgren, Neal Lindgren Randy Heuton, Guy Lindgren, Dan Lindgren Kevin Lindgren, John Lindgren

#### **INTERMENT**

Fairfield Township Cemetery
Albert City, Iowa
Full Military Rites by Albert City American Legion

Arrangements by

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