



Holger Axel Olsson

May 29, 1940 - August 11, 2024

Holger Axel Olsson, age 84, of Presque Isle, WI, passed away on Sunday, August 11, 2024 at his home. He was born on May 29, 1940 in the Town of Lake, WI, the son of Axel and Mary (nee Gritzan) Olsson.

Holger attended Winegar Grade School in Presque Isle and Marenisco High School. He also attended Gogebic Community College. Holger was a hardworking man, he retired from Millwright Construction 1056 Local. He also ran Olsson's Presque Isle Inn from 1973 – 1975 before it was sold. Holger served in the United States Army from 1958 – 1961 and was a 53 year member of American Legion Winegar Post 480 in Presque Isle; he was proud of his lifetime membership.

Holger is preceded in death by his parents, Axel and Mary; brother, Norton Olsson and many aunts and uncles. He is survived by his brother, Rodney Olsson, Presque Isle, WI, sister-in-law, Vyril Olsson, Susanville, CA; and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be from 1:00 – 2:00 PM on Tuesday, August 20, 2024 at Bolger Funeral Home – Woodruff. A Graveside service with Military Honors will be held at 11:30 AM on Wednesday, August 21, 2024 at the Presque Isle Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Presque Isle Cemetery

County Highway W
Presque Isle, WI 54557

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 20. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Bolger Cremation & Funeral Services - Woodruff Chapel
1212 First Avenue
(mailing address P.O. Box 40, Woodruff WI 54568)
Woodruff, WI 54568
(715) 356-6006
bolgerfuneral@gmail.com
<https://www.bolgerfuneral.com>

Graveside Service

AUG 21. 11:30 AM (CT)

Presque Isle Cemetery
County Highway W
Presque Isle, WI 54557

Tribute Wall

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“ Great longtime family friend. Holger was multi-talented. He was a great cook, hunter, fisherman, mechanic, welder, and told some of the best stories of all time. He was a huge part of our families New Years Eve’s dinners for years, always a highlight for us to visit with him and hear his adventures of the “old” Winegar days and his travels as a millwright that took him to the French West Indies. Holger, you will be missed!
Pete & Lisa Swanson and family

Pete Swanson - March 14, 2025 at 07:43 AM