



## Jens P. Ericksen

August 28, 1939 - April 30, 2015

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RACINE—Jens Preben Ericksen, 75, passed away peacefully at Becker-Shoop Center on April 30, 2015. He was born in Racine on August 28, 1939 the son of the late Anker and Emmy (nee: Jorgensen) Ericksen. On October 28, 1961, in Racine, Jens was united in marriage to the former Kay Christensen.

He was a graduate of William Horlick High School. Jens was employed as an electrician in the construction industry for 42 years, retiring in 2001.

Jens was a member of member of Electrical Union IBEW- Local 430, Danish Brotherhood and Faith Lutheran Church. He found great enjoyment in electric trains, camping and was an avid reader.

Jens is survived by his wife, Kay Ericksen of Racine; daughter, Ann Marsh of Madison; son, Paul (Julie) Ericksen of Kenosha; grandchildren, Catie (John) Avis, Roni Christensen, Gianna Ericksen and a sister, Helene (Ben) Wasik of Racine. He is further survived by brother-in-law, Art “Bud” Petzke, nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Jens was preceded in death by one son-in-law, Rohan Marsh; brother, Elmer Ericksen; sisters, Doris Petzke and Elsie Thompson and one grandson, Nehemiah Ericksen.

Memorial services will be held at Faith Lutheran Church, 8500 Durand Ave. Sturtevant, on Saturday, May 9th, 2015 at 10:30 am with Rev. Jeffrey Mortenson officiating. Visitation will be held at church from 9 am until service time. Following services Jens will be laid to rest at West Lawn Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing to remember Jens in a special way may direct memorials to Faith Lutheran Church, The Debt Fund.

The Ericksen family would like to extend a very special thank you to Allay Hospice and Becker Shoop Center for their dedicated care and compassion given to Jens.

# Cemetery Details

## West Lawn Memorial Park

9000 Washington Ave  
Racine, WI 53406

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 9. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Faith Lutheran Church  
8500 Durand Avenue  
Sturtevant, WI 53177

## Memorial Service

MAY 9. 10:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Mrs. E,  
*I wanted to send my sympathies to you and your family along with a long over due Thank You for being adult leaders for our Luther League at Redeemer back when I was in Luther League. After my wife and I served as youth leaders ourselves not only with Scouts but at Church I learned about the hard work, dedication, and patience(as well as the satisfaction) that went into your leadership of our group back then.*

*So Thank You Mr. "E", you will always be remembered!  
Sincerely,*

*Roy Nelson*

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**Roy Nelson** - May 10, 2015 at 07:51 AM

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“ *Kay, please accept our condolences on the death of Jens. We pray that you will find comfort and peace from our Lord in the days ahead. Your fellow bus mates from St. John's Half Century Club, Bob and Karen Armbrecht*

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**Karen Armbrecht** - May 08, 2015 at 05:43 PM