



## LeRoy Allen Kivi

May 15, 1936 - April 3, 2025

LeRoy Allen Kivi, age 88, of Cokato, died Thursday, April 3, 2025, at the Cokato Manor. A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, April 12, 2025, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Cokato Township Hall in rural Cokato.

Arrangements by Johnson Funeral Home in Dassel.

LeRoy Allen Kivi, the son of Oscar and Aina (Anderson) Kivi was born on May 15, 1936, in Cokato, Minnesota. He grew up in Cokato and graduated from Cokato High School in 1954. Following high school graduation, he continued his education by attending school for being an electrician. LeRoy served his country in the United States Armed Services. He was a member of the American Legion for many years.

On June 12, 1959, LeRoy was united in marriage to Nancy Lee at the First Presbyterian Church in Howard Lake. Together they made their home in Minneapolis before moving to the farm Northwest of Cokato. He had been employed as an electrician for Western Electric for many years before being employed at Bonniwell Electric. LeRoy farmed his land for many years before retiring from farming and being an electrician.

He loved his family with his whole heart and enjoyed the times for holidays and special occasions. LeRoy and Nancy enjoyed traveling to Las Vegas and

had taken several trips over the years.

He is survived by his sons, Todd Kivi of Austin, Texas, Scott Kivi of South Haven, and Kent Kivi of Clearwater, three grandchildren, Laura Kivi, Adam Kivi, and Sara Kivi, several great-grandchildren, step-great grandchild, and a brother, Gordy Kivi of Madison Lake. He is also survived by several nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Nancy Kivi, his parents, Oscar and Aina Kivi, nine siblings, Kenneth, Jerry, Phil, John, Russell, Mary Jane, Ruth, Lorraine, and Carol Jean.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

APR **12**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Cokato Township Hall  
14987 30th St SW  
Cokato, MN 55321

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I remember Uncle Lee's electronics repair shop in Cokato. I would often stop in after school for a visit.  
I remember the house on Brooks Lake Road and the sweet farm in South Haven.  
Uncle Lee was so kind and funny. I will miss his laughter and smile.*

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