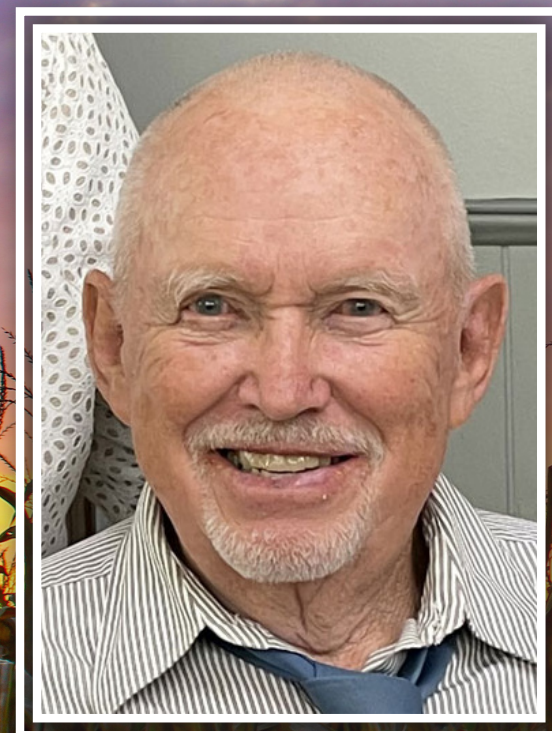




CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

ARNOLD D. EDEN

July 14, 1941 – September 10, 2026



For God did not send His Son into the
world to condemn the world, but that the
world through Him might be saved.

JOHN 3:17

Arnold D. Eden, 85, of Woden, passed away on Thursday, September 10, 2026, at the Titonka Care Center.

Arnold Dean Eden, the son of Harm and Aletta (Meyer) Eden, was born on July 14, 1941, on a farm southwest of Woden. He attended country school near his home until the 6th grade and graduated from Woden High School in 1959. During high school, Arnie played baseball. Arnold served his country in the Army National Guard. On June 22, 1966, he married Nancy Hoskinson. They made their home on the family farm southwest of Woden, where they raised their two children, Gene and Dawn. Besides farming and raising livestock, Arnie also umpired high school baseball and softball games for many years. In their retirement, Arnie and Nancy wintered in Texas. In September of 2023, he became a resident of Titonka Care Center.

He was a member of Community Chapel in Lakota and was a leader for AWANA in several area churches. Arnie served on the North Central Coop Board for several years.

Arnie is survived by his wife, Nancy of Woden; two children, Gene (Tracie) Eden of Woden and Dawn (Tom) Davidson of Austin, MN; a foster daughter, Nancy (Willie) Knipfel of Hampton; grandchildren, Caleb (Makayla) Eden, Riley Eden, Cooper (Jade) Eden and their daughter, Evelyn, Trevor Eden, Cassidy Davidson and Allie Davidson; a brother, Harvey (Donna) Eden of Wesley; a sister-in-law, Jannean (Dean) Eliason of Crystal Lake; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and siblings, Irma (Don) Alphs, Joann Eden, James (Judith) Eden and Donna (Jerry) Yeo.

The family would like to thank the staff at Titonka for the great care Arnie received for the past three years.

Memorials may be directed to Gideons International.

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FUNERAL SERVICE

Community Chapel
Lakota, Iowa
10:30 am, Monday
September 14, 2026

OFFICIATING

Pastor Kent Hillesland

MUSIC

Tyann Bennken, Organist
Dan Johnson, Soloist
Congregational Hymns
"The Old Rugged Cross"
"How Great Thou Art"
"Amazing Grace"

CASKET BEARERS

Caleb Eden	Riley Eden
Cooper Eden	Trevor Eden
Chance Eden	Dustin Spellings

BURIAL

Bingham Township Cemetery
Woden, Iowa

All are invited to a luncheon in the church fellowship hall immediately following the service. Burial will follow the luncheon.

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FUNERAL HOMES