Celebration of Life Services from
Faith Covenant Church
Essex, Iowa
Friday, May 11, 2018
2:30 p.m.

Officiating
Tammie Stettler Pastor Gordon Scott

Memory Register ~ Marsha Miller

Caring for Flowers
Heather Grebert Nancy McComb

Ushers

Shawn Grebert Terry Miller

Organist
Judy Lundgren

Songs of Comfort
"How Great Thou Art" #8
"This Is My Father's World" #57

Casket Bearers

Adam Lundgren Matthew Lundgren Neil Lundgren Dustin Lundgren Kyle Shipley Carter Lundgren Andy Countryman Thomas Ryan

Honorary Casket Bearers

Donovan Lundgren Dwight Lundgren Dwayne Lundgren
John Wilcox, Jr. Gaylen Lundgren Gary Lundgren
Gene Lundgren Gerard Lundgren Kirk Lundgren
Randy Lundgren Glenda Johnson Raymond Herold
Jerry Hampton

Place of Rest
Rose Hill Cemetery ~ Shenandoah, Iowa

Military Rites ~ American Legion Post #88 Color Guard

Keith Greever, the son of Wayne Edward Greever and Eva Violet Wilson Greever, was born at Shenandoah, Iowa on November 24, 1928. He was educated in rural Locust Grove Township and graduated from Shenandoah High School. From 1947-1953 he worked as a cream tester for Squirer Dairy Company in Shenandoah.

On January 26, 1952 he was united in marriage to Myrtle Virginia Lundgren at the Fremont Evangelical Covenant Church in rural Essex, Iowa. After their marriage they made their home in Shenandoah. To this union one daughter, Arlene was born.

Keith served in the Iowa National Guard Company E, 168th Infantry 34th Division in Shenandoah from June 1948 until July 1953. On July 20, 1953 Keith entered into active military duty in the US Army to serve in the Korean War. He was stationed in Japan and Korea. Keith returned home on May 27, 1955. He was transferred to the Army Reserve to complete his 8 years of service under the Universal Military Training and Service Act. CPL Keith A. Greever was awarded The National Defense Service Medal, The United Nations Service Medal and The Korean Good Conduct Service Medal.

After returning from Korea, Keith worked as a distribution center manager for Early May Seed and Nursery Company for 40 years. Keith was a member of the Fremont Evangelical Covenant Church, later transferring his membership to the Faith Covenant Church in Essex. After retiring from Earl May, Keith remained active. He especially enjoyed gardening and was well known for his gooseberries, farm grown peaches and homemade ground horseradish. Keith mowed lawns and shoveled snow for neighbors and businesses until the age of 81. He especially enjoyed his nieces, nephews, extended family and Arlene's puppies, Frankie and Abbey.

Keith was preceded in death by his wife Myrtle, parents, step-father Ralph Kohler; five brother-in-laws, Leonard, Wesley, Vernon and Delbert Lundgren and John Wilcox, Sr; four sister-in-laws, Harriett Wilcox, Laurine, Phyllis and Hazel Lundgren; nephew Gordon Lundgren and one great nephew Jamie Wilcox. Those left to cherish his memory include his daughter Arlene Y. Greever of Lincoln, sister Nadine Lundgren of Essex, many nieces, nephews, other relatives and a host of good friends and neighbors.

Keith passed away on Tuesday, May 8, 2018 at the age of 89 at Bryan Medical Center West in Lincoln. His death came only 2 months after his beloved wife Myrtle died in Shenandoah on March 7, 2018.

Following the committal service at the graveside everyone is welcome back to the church for fellowship and refreshment.



