



## John and Lorelei Foss

September 11, 2021

With profound sadness, we announce the passing of both John and Lorelei Foss. Our loving and devoted parents and friends to all whose lives they touched.

Together in life and death, they both left us on September 11, 2021, at the age of 75. John grew up in Spring Grove, Minn., and attended St. Olaf College. Lorelei grew up in Minneapolis, Minn., where she attended the University of Minnesota. It was in college where John and Lori met.

Married for 53 years, they are survived by their daughters Melissa (Efreem) Vojta, Jennifer (Jason) Hyrup, Allison (Todd) Zych; eight beautiful granddaughters: Makenna, Raleigh, Jady, Addisyn, Emmersyn, Kaylee, Ashlee, and Milee; John's sisters Carole O'Brien and Trish Ashman, and many other cousins, nieces, and nephews. They were preceded in death by their parents Owen and Marguerite Foss, Addison and Anna Taylor, and son Erik Foss.

John loved to fish when he could and was an amazing cook and master bbq smoker. Lori enjoyed scrapbooking "pretty books" of their granddaughters' memories and milestones, and loved to bake. She would make large amounts of treats for the church, along with family and friends.

A graveside service will be held for John and Lorelei on Friday, August 26th, at 11:00 A.M. at Trinity Lutheran Cemetery in Spring Grove.

Pastor Elizabeth Hermeier will officiate.

Roble Funeral Home of Spring Grove is assisting the family with local

arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Trinity Lutheran Cemetery

Hwy 44  
Spring Grove, MN 55974

# Previous Events

## GRAVESIDE SERVICE

AUG **26**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I am profoundly sad to hear this. I so enjoyed collaborating with Lori on her Taylor family book. Meeting John and Lori in Phoenix was a real privilege, and getting to know her through our letters even moreso! She was so generous with her time and with her genealogical work. Am proud to call her "cousin"!  
Marti Hobart Gross

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**Marti Hobart Gross** - February 10, 2024 at 11:10 PM

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“ John was a couple of years older than I in school but we both played the French horn and sat side by side you years in hand. Not only was he good looking, he was a kind soul and had a sense of humor. John's father and mine were good friends and in some business dealings together. Nice and respected family. Rita  
(Ellingson) Petetsen

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**rita petetsen** - August 24, 2022 at 09:33 AM