



DeWayne Lawson

February 28, 1936 - November 10, 2025

Francis DeWayne Lawson, 89, of Bloomfield, Iowa made his heavenly flight November 10, 2025.

He was born on February 28, 1936 at home in Monterey, Iowa, to Flavy Ennis and Verna Mae

Small Lawson. He attended grade school in the Monterey area and graduated from Moulton

High School in 1953.

DeWayne started working for Nellie Johnson at her grocery store in Monterey when he was 15

years old. After graduation he worked at the grocery store in Bloomfield. In 1958 he was called

into the Army. After completing basic training he served in Korea for a year.

On October 25, 1958 he married Sheryl Horn. The couple enjoyed 67 years of marriage and

raised four children; Kimberly, Lisa, Michael, and Amy.

DeWayne was a man of deep faith. He knew at a young age that he wanted to attend Sunday

school and church. He accepted the Lord and Savior October 29, 1951. He was the Pastor at the

Seymour Christian Church from April 1983 to April 2011. He belonged to the 33 Psalms singing group and for many years they toured several states on Sunday nights spreading the gospel through songs. During the week, he worked as Post Master Relief for towns around Bloomfield and Moulton.

DeWayne enjoyed mowing cemeteries, church yards, and people's lawns. He also enjoyed playing the piano and often played hymns while his wife prepared the evening meal. DeWayne taught his sister how to play piano.

He is survived by his wife, Sheryl Lawson; three daughters, Kimberly Cowger, Lisa (Mark) Cutler, Amy (Montie) Wuthrich; ten grandchildren, Clayton (Brittany) Hopkins, Megan (Kevin) Wright, Ashley (John) Yearns; Clinton Cutler, Logan (Jennifer) Cutler, Kristen (Joey) Hill, Shane Lawson, Corby Wuthrich, Cammie (Jacob) McDaniel, Cayler Wuthrich; nine great-grandsons, Nicholas Heartly, Konner Bennett, Tyson and Jed Hill, Braxton Yearns, Brooks and Briggs Cutler, Tryton and Baxter Hopkins; four brothers-in-law, Gary (Bobbi Schroyer) Horn, Gordon Horn, Bryan (Sherry) Horn, Bob Tompkins; seven sisters-in-law, Karen Evans, Katherine (Dennis) Radek, Illa Horn, Corliss Howard, Debra Montufar, Fern Horn, Vickie Horn; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son, Michael Lawson; sister, Myrna

Kay Tompkins; brother, Dwight Lawson; and sister-in-law, Carolyn Lawson.

DeWayne has donated his body to the University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine.

Cremation will follow the donation with burial at the Sunset View Cemetery in Moulton at a later date.

Memorial services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 6, 2025 at the Pulaski

Mennonite Church with Pastors Jeff Cummings and Darrell Zook officiating.

The family will be

present to greet friends that morning from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the service. In lieu of

flowers, a memorial has been established to the Pulaski Mennonite Church.

Wagler Funeral

Home in Bloomfield is handling the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Sunset View Cemetery

32000 565th St.
Moulton, IA 52572

Previous Events

Visitation with Family Present

DEC 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Pulaski Mennonite Church
28026 270th St
Bloomfield, IA 52537-7099
(641) 675-3845

Memorial Service

DEC 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

Pulaski Mennonite Church

Tribute Wall

GS

“ Georgia Stevens lit a candle in memory of DeWayne Lawson



Georgia Stevens - November 15, 2025 at 12:52 AM

GF

“ You will be miss so much! I worked with DeWayne at Keith's for many years he was so much fun. He asked me to ride along with him and deliver Sunday papers late Saturday night well if you know me I was out late then help DeWayne. I always wanted to sleep but he thought I should roll the papers then put in a bag, we had so much fun together. DeWayne also married Sharon and I. Good bye my friend.

Garry Feldmann - November 13, 2025 at 02:54 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of DeWayne Lawson.



November 12, 2025 at 08:01 PM

LG

“ Lavern & Karen Yoder & girls planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of DeWayne Lawson.

Lavern & Karen Yoder & girls - November 12, 2025 at 08:01 PM

JB

“ Enough good things couldn't be said about this man! I didn't know DeWayne but for a better part of my life I've heard of his praises, good deeds and love of life and for those around him and complete strangers. He put up with his only son and loved him like no other, Mike (who was a good friend of mine i am proud to say) and no other father would of! That knot head used to brag he was going to spend time with his dad. Get Kfc and watch Hee Haw dvds. Heck, Mike was the one that wanted to eat fried chicken and watch Hee Haw and I told him so!

My deepest condolences and sympathy to all his family and all the people he touched in his lifetime and those that he left an everlasting impression and impact on.

Please let me know if I can be of any assistance. The gate up there will be wide open for him!

Jeremy Breckenridge - November 12, 2025 at 07:49 PM