



## John R. Scharp

August 29, 1936 - October 19, 2023

John R. Scharp

age 87, of Butternut, died on Thursday October 19, 2023 at Park Manor Nursing Home in Park Falls. He was born on August 29, 1936 in Butternut, the son of Reinhart and Ida (Abraham) Scharp. His early life and schooling were in Butternut and Park Falls. On March 10, 1959 he married Donna Carden. John worked as a logger, a licensed plumber for Johnson's Plumbing and most of his life for Xcel Energy as a foreman on the natural gas lines. He was a volunteer fireman for the Park Falls Fire Department and a member of the Flambeau Sportsman's Club. He enjoyed woodworking, travelling, and most of all fixing and improving things.

He is survived by his wife Donna of Butternut, (2)children: James (Dawn) Scharp of Colonial Heights, Virginia and Jean (James) Baroka of Fifield, (3)grandchildren: Amber (Charlie) Almond, Jesse Baroka, and Jeena (Beau) Bucheger, (2)great-grandchildren: Hailey Smetak & Alex Almond, and other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and (2)brothers: Irvin & Wally Scharp.

Funeral services will be held at the First Congregational United Church of Christ in Park Falls on Wednesday October 25, 2023 at 11:00am. Rev. Jill Lemke will officiate.

Burial will follow at Forest Home Cemetery in Fifield.

A visitation will be held at the church on Wednesday from 10:00am until the hour of the service.

Birch Street Funeral Service is assisting the family.

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# Cemetery Details

## Forest Home Cemetery

Old 70 Road and Krucky Road  
Fifield, WI 54524

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Congregational United Church of Christ  
279 North 1st Ave  
Park Falls, WI 54552

## Service

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