

In lieu of flowers, please direct memorials in Art's honor to  
BV County Hospice or the Storm Lake Preservation Association.

Art proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy, April 1944 until his honorable discharge in December 1945. He served as a machinist on the ship U.S.S. Queens in the Pacific Theater.

Art enjoyed numerous outdoor activities, especially around the lake. He was an avid fisherman, hunter, golfer and organic gardener. His claim to fame is that he once swam across the lake, he owned an ice sail boat and was once city tennis champion. He loved a good game of cribbage or pool. He was a member of Lake Creek Golf Club, Ducks Unlimited and the Storm Lake AMVETS, where he was a past commander. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran church and most recently worshipped at the Storm Lake First Baptist Church.

Art is survived by his wife of 65 years, Lurene; sisters Ruth Odden of Freemont, Nebraska and Jean Mansfield of Joplin, Missouri; daughter Sue Hanley of Salem, Oregon; sons Bill (Dee) Mittelstadt of Cedar Falls, Iowa, and Don (Jane) Mittelstadt of Milford, Iowa; grandchildren: Tanya (Bill) Colson of Tigard, Oregon; Eric (Melissa) Larson of Beaverton, Oregon; Neal (Shannon Brooks) Larson of Portland, Oregon; Scott (Melody) Mittelstadt of Mason, Ohio; Lisa (Myron) Friesen of Osage, Iowa; Sarah (Lee) Brezinka of Anoka, Minnesota; Jodi (Mark) Holmes of Littleton, Colorado; Trisha (Steve) Nolan of Rapid City, South Dakota; and Jeni (Tom) Brands of Iowa City, Iowa; 21 great-grandchildren; and other extended family and friends.

Art was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers-in-law, Hilmer Odden and Reg Mansfield; and by two sons-in-law, Wayne Larson and Robert Hanley.

On October 17, 1940, Art was united in marriage to Lurene Steig in Storm Lake. To this union three children were born: Susan Kay, William Bruce and Donald Craig.

Art Mittelstadt, age 90, of Storm Lake, Iowa, died Saturday, May 6, 2006 at the Buena Vista Regional Medical Center in Storm Lake.

Arthur "Art" William Mittelstadt was born on July 15, 1915 to William Carl and Mayme (Rhode) Mittelstadt in Storm Lake, Iowa. He grew up in Storm Lake and graduated from Storm Lake High School in 1933. He worked for Kaplan Grocery, was a route salesman for Peter Pan Bread, and retired after working for Wholesale Market.



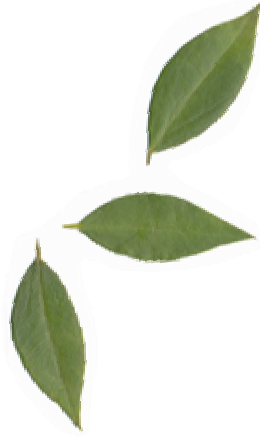
Art Mittelstadt  
1915 — 2006

To everything there is a season...

*To everything, there is  
an appointed season.*

And a time to everything under heaven.  
A time for sharing, a time for caring.  
A time for loving, a time for giving.  
A time for remembering, a time for parting.  
You have made everything beautiful in its time,  
For everything You do remains forever.

—a version of Ecclesiastes



We wish to express our gratitude for the kindness evidenced  
in thought and deed, and for your attendance at this service.  
You are invited for lunch and a time of sharing at the church  
immediately following the service.

 *The Mittelstadt Family*



**IN MEMORY OF**

*Art Mittelstadt*

*July 15, 1915 — May 6, 2006*

**MEMORIAL SERVICE**

**Friday, May 12, 2006 at 11:00 a.m.**

**First Baptist Church**

**Storm Lake, Iowa**

**CLERGY**

**Reverend Tom Hinshaw**

**ORGANIST**

**Tammy Fortin**

**SOLOIST**

**Sandy Strandberg**

**"Amazing Grace"**

**"How Great Thou Art"**

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