



**Lester Frederick Schlump**  
**1924 - 2016**

Lester Frederick Schlump, 92 yrs, of Ida, died Monday, January 30, 2017, in his residence. Friends may call at the Capaul Funeral Home, Ida, Thursday, February 2, 2017, from 2-8 PM. He will lie in state on Friday, February 3, 2017, from 10 AM until the services at 11 AM at East Ida Immanuel Lutheran Church, Monroe. Pastors Curtis Garland and Pastor Bruce Lucas, Associate Pastor and Principle of Trinity Lutheran Church, Traverse City, MI, will officiate. Burial will be in East Ida Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery, Ida.

Lester was born on his Centennial Farm, Ida, MI, on June 20, 1924. Lester was the son of Fred and Rosa (Hoppert) Schlump. He was a member of East Ida Immanuel Lutheran Church, where he was baptized and confirmed. He is a 1941 Ida High School Graduate. He married JoAnn Boylan on September 17, 1955, in Blissfield, MI.

Farming was the love of his life but he did many more things. He worked at Martin-Perry in Toledo, OH, where he met JoAnn. He also worked at Duehler-Jarvis, Tecumseh Products and drove a school bus for 12 years. He was a member of the A.S.C. Board, NAPUS and the Ida Township Board of Review. He was appointed Active Postmaster, Ida, MI on December 31, 1967 and Postmaster on May 15, 1971 retiring in 1991. He enjoyed reading, working, puzzles, fantasy baseball, bowling and traveling especially on his many trips to Gettysburg and other battlefields with his family.

Survivors include: his wife, JoAnn; two sons, Michael (Kathy), Jeffrey (Shelley); a daughter, Teri (Linda); grandchildren, Danielle, Nicholas, Stephanie, Jamie, Justin and great-grandchildren, Aubree, Bobby, Blake and Selina. He was preceded in death by his parents, Fred and Rosa.

Memorial contributions for Mr. Schlump can be made to: East Ida Immanuel Lutheran Church or Monroe County Library System, Ida Branch.

To send the family condolences please go online to: [www.capaulfuneralhome.com](http://www.capaulfuneralhome.com).