



## Obituary

**Born:** Saturday, May 19, 1928

**Died:** Sunday, May 19, 2019

Woodland Hills  
(507) 387 - 5504

Leonard G. Mettler of North Mankato passed away on Sunday, May 19, 2019 at Oaklawn Rehabilitation Center in Mankato. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, May 24, 2019 at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in North Mankato with Fr. Paul van de Crommert, officiating. Private interment will be at Woodland Hills Outdoor Mausoleum. Visitation will be held from 4-7 p.m. on Thursday, May 23, 2019 Woodland Hills Funeral Home in Mankato and will continue at the church 1 hour prior to the service.

## Service Summary

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### Visitation

4:00 PM to 7:00 PM, Thu May 23,  
2019

### Woodland Hills Funeral Home

1605 Woodland Ave  
Mankato, MN 56001

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### Mass of Christian Burial

11:00 AM Fri May 24, 2019

### Holy Rosary Catholic Church

525 Grant Ave  
North Mankato, Minnesota (MN)  
56003

Leonard was born May 19, 1928 to Charlie and Elizabeth Mettler in North Mankato. He attended Mankato Public Schools. Leonard married the love of his life, Elaine Jeanette Dorn on June 6, 1950 at St. Paul's Catholic Church in Nicollet. Leonard enjoyed woodworking gardening, and baking. He loved going to garage sales and dancing on Bandwagon with his wife. Leonard worked at ADM for 40 plus years. His other love was his religion. A very strong catholic man, he enjoyed going to church and having his family there with him, and was a longtime member of Holy Rosary

Leonard is survived by nine children, Dean (Julie) of Mankato, Kim of Mankato, Fay (Jeff) Butson of Vernon Center, Dawn Baumberger of Mankato, Gwen (Tim) Ruch of Mankato, Lyn (Larry) Storlie of Mankato, Lola (Mark) McDermott of Owatonna, Todd (Barb) of North Mankato, and Van (Lori) of Mankato; 27 grandchildren; 47 great grandchildren and counting; two great great grandchildren; siblings, Ray (Marge), Millie, Rosie, Dorothy, and David, daughter-in-law Linda of Lake Crystal

He was preceded in death by his wife; parents; son, Wayne; infant son, Anthony; great grandchild, Jackson; brothers; sisters; and son in-law Fred Baumberger.