



M. Jere Wissler

July 29, 2025

M. Jere Wissler, 87, of Lancaster, PA, passed away on Tuesday, July 29, 2025. Born in Lancaster, PA, he was the son of the late Melvin R. Wissler and Margaret S. Wissler (Stauffer).

Jere retired from Alumax after 38 years as a building and grounds supervisor. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Lancaster City. Jere was also a member and the Treasurer of the Lone Pine Rod and Gun Club and the International Harvester Collector Club, Chapter 8, as well as a member of many other antique truck, tractor, and gun clubs. He will be missed by his friends and family.

He is survived by his two sons, Michael J. Wissler and William C. Wissler (Hope); his daughter, Tammy J. Leaman (Michael); his three grandchildren, Ryan, William, and Austin; his three great-grandchildren, Mariah, McKenna, and Carson; and his brother, Robert S. Wissler.

Jere was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy "Dottie" Wissler, and his sister, Nancy Eichelberger.

A Memorial Service will be held at Saint John Lutheran Church, 223 West Orange Street, Lancaster, PA 17603, on Saturday, September 6, 2025, at 10:30 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Lutheran Camping Corporation of Central Pennsylvania, P.O. Box 459, Arendtsville, PA 17303.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP 6. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. John Lutheran Church
223 West Orange Street
Lancaster, PA 17603

Tribute Wall

RK

“ To the family of Jere Wissler, I am so sorry for your loss. In past years I enjoyed sitting on the Camp Nawakwa Infirmary Porch having conversation with Jere. He was a wonderful helper and camp friend. Peace, Ron Kerr

Ron and Kathy Kerr - September 28, 2025 at 08:48 PM

JW

“ Always enjoyed my visits with Jere at Rough & Tumble. Always was impressed with his wonderful collection of IH literature which he was very proud to own. He will be missed.
Judy Whiteside

Judy Whiteside - September 25, 2025 at 04:27 PM

CM

“ Connie And Dick Martin lit a candle in memory of M. Jere Wissler



connie and dick martin - September 01, 2025 at 09:09 AM

CM

Dick Martin worked with Jere at Alumax Lancaster

connie and dick martin - September 01, 2025 at 09:15 AM

CG

“ Ed knew Jere from growing up in West Lancaster and Dottie from the time as a kid at St John’s. Your parents were always, always kind and friendly and willing to lend a helping hand. Your Dad touched many people’s lives, and we are grateful to have known him. Our condolences to the family. Sincerely,
Carol and Ed Goss

Carol Goss - August 17, 2025 at 01:04 PM



“ I have known Jere starting in 1981 when I married into the Neiss, Fryberger clan. Dottie was my wife's cousin. Stayed at the house many of days on our visits to Pennsylvania from here in Michigan. We loved to hit the antique stores and flea markets together on our trips. R.I.P.
Steve Miller and Janet Neiss-Miller

Steve Miller - August 08, 2025 at 04:27 PM

KW

“ I worked with Jere for years at Alumax. We only lived a mile apart and on snowy days he would come get me and take me to work. We also shared our birthday. April 23rd. Your dad was a great guy. I am sorry for your loss.
Kay Westcott

kay westcott - August 04, 2025 at 03:24 PM

KA

“ I have fond memories of Jere and Dottie from growing up at St. John. They were important people in my youth. Your dad always had a warm hug waiting for me when I would visit St. John. They were pillars at church, and they gave so much of their heart and soul to that place. I will pray that wonderful memories will sustain you in these difficult days. Hugs, Kris (Froehlich) Albert and the Froehlich "kids.”

kristen albert - August 03, 2025 at 01:37 PM

LG

“ Sorry to hear of the loss of a very important part of your life. Just got back home after a month in the hospital and Trillium Place after having a congestive heart failure problem. Sorry I was unable to visit him at Elizabethtown. He was a great friend, and I will really miss him. God bless. Leo Grasser

Leo Grasser - August 02, 2025 at 10:42 AM

RF

“ I knew Jere and his family as a child at Family Camp. My boys knew Jere as I took them back to Family Camp. My oldest son love to talk IH with him. Mike, Billy and Tammy so sorry for your family's loss.

Ruth (Eckert) Hoover and Family - July 31, 2025 at 08:47 PM