



## Lawrence D. Hines

January 26, 1933 - December 7, 2021

Lawrence D. Hines, 88, of Beloit passed away Tuesday, December 7, 2021. Born at home on January 26, 1933 in Anderson, Indiana, son of Robert and Ree Rodecap Hines. Larry graduated from Purdue University in 1955 with a degree in Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Engineering. He married Caryl Elizabeth Kuehn in Shorewood, Wisconsin on August 25, 1956.

Larry was employed by Northrop Corporation in Hawthorne, California; Corning Glass Works in Bradford, Pennsylvania and in Martinsburg, West Virginia; Beloit Corporation; Beloit Computer Center and for 19 years at Ingersoll Milling Machine Company in Rockford retiring in 1998. He worked with large computers for over 35 years as a programmer-analyst, holding management positions for much of that time. He helped install the country's first intercontinental missile base in Presque Isle, Maine. He worked on two occasions in 1956 at Cape Canaveral testing the country's first intercontinental missile. Larry was very active in the First Congregational Church, serving as moderator for two terms, chair of the building committee for the church built in 2000, business manager for 10 years and chair of the Board of Trustees several times.

Larry was active for over 25 years in the Data Processing Management Association, Madison Chapter, and serving in a variety of offices. Then he was active in CASA, a special interest group and part of the Society of Manufacturing Engineers, serving in many capacities. He served eight years on the library board, two as president. During that term in 1982 the group, with

the consent of the City Council, was changed from the Library Advisory Committee to the Beloit Library Board of Trustees. He suggested the name, which was later adopted, Friends at Beloit Library (FABL) for the friends group.

An avid golfer, Larry fought the game for over sixty years. He became active and served on the board of Society for Learning Unlimited (SLU), which is affiliated with Beloit College and Elderhostel.

Larry leaves behind a daughter, Amy Elizabeth Maier (Jeffrey) of Delafield, Wisconsin; a son, Andrew Lawrence Hines (Kimberly) of the Village of Lakewood, Illinois; five grandchildren, Ryan Hines (Brittney), Connor Hines, Kierra Hines, Alex Maier, and Lauren Maier and great-grandchildren, Payson and Haelynn. His parents, brothers, Donald and Richard and ex-wife, Caryl predeceased him.

Visitation will be from 10:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, December 22, 2021 at First Congregational Church, 801 Bushnell Street, Beloit, with a short service to follow at 11:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First Congregational Church. Rosman Funeral Home assisted the family. To express online condolences, please visit: [www.rosmanfuneralhome.com](http://www.rosmanfuneralhome.com). 364-4477

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **22**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

First Congregational Church  
801 Bushnell Street  
Beloit, WI 53511

## Funeral Service

DEC **22**. 11:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lawrence D. Hines.*



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December 21, 2021 at 11:33 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lawrence D. Hines.*

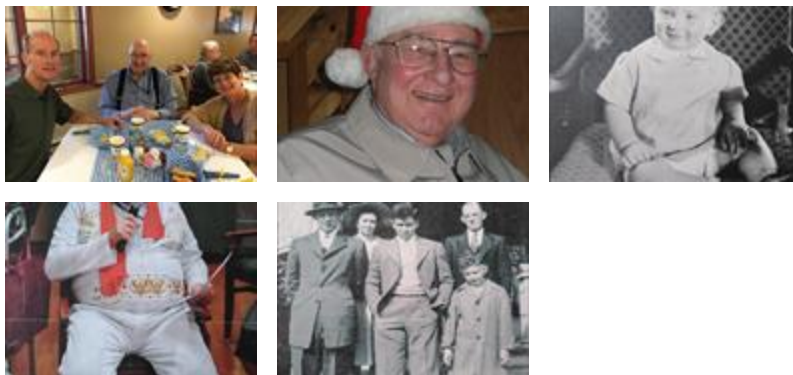


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December 19, 2021 at 01:15 PM



“ *6 files added to the album Dad memories*

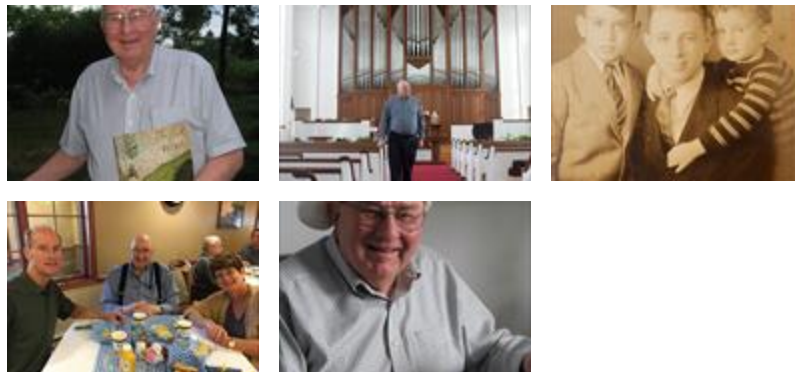


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**Amy Maier** - December 17, 2021 at 03:16 PM

AM

“ 7 files added to the album Memories Album



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**Amy Maier** - December 17, 2021 at 03:08 PM

NS

“ I am sending my heartfelt sympathy to Larry's family. I have known Larry for many years and he and my husband, Jesse had many lunches together and after my husband passed away, I continued the tradition with Larry having many lovely lunches and dinners. He and I had a really true friendship that I will miss very much. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Norma Saxon** - December 14, 2021 at 07:10 PM

AM

*Hi Norma and thanks for your kind words. I know Dad always valued your friendship and companionship during meals out!  
Amy*

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**Amy Maier** - December 17, 2021 at 02:55 PM

PR

“ I worked with Larry for many years at SLU and also at First Congregational Church. I visited him at Riverside and he asked me down for a couple of years to visit their holiday decorations. I, also, gave him rides to church for a while. He was a great guy, great sense of humor and will be missed. It is hard to lose a parent. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

Pat Raymer - December 14, 2021 at 10:18 AM

AM

Hi Pat - Thanks for your kind words. I know Dad always appreciated your friendship and the rides to church. That was really important to him and we were grateful he had someone kind enough to take him each week.  
Amy

Amy Maier - December 17, 2021 at 02:57 PM

TT

“ Tara Dabson Tinder lit a candle in memory of Lawrence D. Hines



Tara Dabson Tinder - December 13, 2021 at 08:50 PM

AM

Hi Tara - Although I don't know you personally, I've heard your name and know my Dad had good times with your parents in years past!  
Amy

Amy Maier - December 17, 2021 at 03:02 PM

GM

“ My son Jeff married Larry's daughter, Amy, so we became co-father in laws. I found Larry to be a true gentleman. He was always genuinely pleasant and an intelligent conversationalist. Although he had the right to, he never made an effort to impress one about his educational or his career credentials. Rather, he was very easy to like and to respect, with no attempt at self promotion. He was a good listener and a good contributor, and his resume is solid evidence that he had to be highly respected in both his career field and his voluntary community efforts.

*Larry was a good guy, and I'm glad to have known him.*

*Gerry Maier*

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**GERRY MAIER** - December 13, 2021 at 07:33 PM

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*Gerry - What a wonderful tribute! Thanks for your very kind words. I know he always enjoyed seeing you at family gatherings!*  
*Amy*

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**Amy Maier** - December 17, 2021 at 03:00 PM