

AAS FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

Lynn William Aas is a graduate of Velva High School and the University of North Dakota. He served with distinction in World War II and was awarded the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart for his service. Following his service, he went to work for the Internal Revenue Service as a Special Agent. He lived in Minneapolis where he met Beverly Stockstad, a registered nurse. They married in 1952. In 1960, Lynn took a job as the business manager of Medical Arts Clinic in Minot retiring in 1985.

Lynn served in the North Dakota Legislature during the 1967, 1969, 1987, and 1989 sessions. He is a longtime member of the Kiwanis Club of Minot, the Minot Chamber of Commerce, the United Way, First Lutheran Church, and the Republican Party.

Lynn Aas has been a longtime supporter of Minot State University. He was actively involved with President Gordon B. Olson in the brief change of Minot State's name to Dakota Northwestern University. He also was instrumental with Dr. Olson to start the Nursing program at Minot State. He received the C. P. Laura award from Minot State for Distinguished Service to Education in 1983. He received the Minot State University Golden Award in 1985.

Beverly worked for the First District Health Unit as a traveling home care nurse. She was a longtime supporter of the Minot Symphony Association and was active in the Women's Symphony League. Beverly passed away on March 31, 2003.

Lynn and Beverly had four sons: David, Paul, Daniel, and Joseph.