



Edward Patrick

April 3, 1929 - March 4, 2020

Edward Lawrence (Paterek) Patrick, age 90, of Bruce Township, Michigan passed away Wednesday evening, March 4, 2020, at War Memorial Hospital.

Ed was born in Stalwart, Michigan on April 3, 1929, the son of the late McCoy and Mary (Jaros) Paterek. From the age of 10, he worked in area lumber camps with his father. Ed served his country in the United States Army during the Korean War. He was a corporal in the 5th Infantry Regiment. On June 8, 1957, Ed married Shirley Ann Romano at Nativity of Our Lord Church in Sault Ste. Marie.

After a stint in a Flint car factory, he returned to lumbering but this time for himself buying his lumber from the state. Later, he worked as a heavy equipment operator for Kincheloe Air Force Base clearing for roads and the runway and for the Corps of Engineers building the Poe Lock. When Kincheloe was closed the grounds crew was turned over to EUPTA and he remained with them until his retirement on April 3, 1991. In October 1990, Ed and Shirley bought the Chippewa Campground on 3 Mile Road (now the location of Walmart) and ran it for many years. During his working career, Ed continued to farm.

Ed was a member of the VFW Post #3676, Loyal Order of the Moose Lodge #717, and the Sault Ste. Marie International Club - Cribbage League. He

loved the woods, going hunting, playing cribbage, and going 4-wheeling and snowmobiling. Most of all, Ed loved his family.

Ed is survived by his wife: Shirley Patrick; a son: Anthony Patrick of Dafter, MI; a daughter: Rosanne (Tim) Rooney of Maryville, TN; three grandchildren: David (Marianne) DeSart, Gabrielle (David) Pace, and Noah Patrick; and four great-grandchildren: Jady and Jacob Pace and Lydia and Silas DeSart. He is also survived by two brothers: Chester and Richard Patrick both of Sault Ste. Marie, MI.

Ed was preceded in death by his parents, five brothers, and three sisters.

A memorial service will be held at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, March 10, 2020, at C.S. Mulder Funeral Home. Friends may gather at the funeral home from 10:00 AM until the time of the service. Burial will be at Oaklawn Chapel Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be left to the War Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

Tribute Wall

RD

“ I'm having trouble finding the right words. We will miss Ed. He was such a character, but we also know he was not able to do the activities he loved so in some ways he was ready for this. You are a strong woman with family and friends to support you if needed. By keeping music in your life, you can survive this hardship and stave off the loneliness. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Richard and Linda Dalimonte - April 13, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Sorry for your loss aunt Shirley, my thoughts and prayers are with you.



Jane Romano - March 10, 2020 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ *Shirley and Family,
Our deepest condolences on the passage of Ed. A Great man. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and yours at this sad time.*

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Tom and Betty Artley - March 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Miss Shirley, please accept my sincerest
condolence for the loss of Ed. Ed will live on
through the volumes of memories that all who
loved him or simply met him carry in their
hearts. My prayers and warm thoughts are
with you all. May God wrap His arms around you all and give you
the peace and comfort only He can provide. Sent with LOVE Jamie
and Family*



Jamie (McCoy) Harvey - March 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Sorry for your loss Shirley. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
Love, Ken & Gayle

Ken & Gayle Stevenson - March 09, 2020 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Loved seeing you at the cabin. Enjoyed when Dad (Homer) would aggravate Shirley. Have some fond memories. Thoughts, prayers and love to all of you.

Brenda Campbell Cheek - March 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Ed's passing. Prayers to the family.

John Bright - March 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ I am so sorry for your loss. You are all in my prayers.

Sharolyn Templeton - March 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Shirley and family,

We are so sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
Sending you hugs from afar.

Don & Sue Campbell - March 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Shirley and family,

We are so sorry for your loss, Ed was a great guy and he certainly was an original, he will be missed. Sending you love and hugs.

Don & Sue

Don & Sue Campbell - March 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ *Our condolences for your loss....Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us every day, unseen, unheard, but always near. Still loved, still missed and very dear.*

Prayers for you & yours during this difficult time.

Mark & Debby Ingle - March 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

AV

“ *So sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed visits with Ed and his family. True friends always. Love to you all!*❤️❤️❤️

Angela VanEnkevort - March 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *So sorry for your loss, Rose. Prayers going up for you & your family.*



Jamie Wheeler - March 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ So sorry for your loss but so glad he is not suffering any longer. He lived a long and happy life because of his family. Prayers and hugs to "our" family.

Rick and Toni Caughron - March 05, 2020 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ Shirley, Tony and Rosie,

So sorry for your loss. Ed was a great man who will be sincerely missed by many. Stay strong as you all go through this most difficult time.

Love you!

Lisa

Lisa Cline - March 05, 2020 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Shirley, I am so sorry. This is Glenda's cousin Bobbi. Warm hugs honey .

Bobbi Hill - March 05, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ I am Joerg, Linda's boyfriend. I am very sorry for your loss. Sadly I never got to meet "Uncle Ed" but Linda told me a lot about him. We will be with you in spirit on Tuesday. Rest in peace, uncle Ed.



Joerg Arnu - March 05, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RO

“ Dear Shirley and family,
My Thoughts and Prayers are with all of you.
I'm sorry to hear of Ed's passing.
Sincerely,
Roberta Lackey



Roberta - March 05, 2020 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Uncle Ed was one hell of a guy and he will be sorely missed. He was my mother's brother and one of my father's best friend. I think about all of the great times we had when we were on the farm and I am thankful for all of my memories of him. My heart goes out to Aunt Shirley, Tony, Rosanne, and the rest of the family. I know how hard this is and Joerg and I are keeping you all in our prayers. Rest in Peace Uncle Ed!

Linda Hellow - March 05, 2020 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ To a brave, strong man who we love dearly! We sure will miss the card games Uncle Ed . Now my mom, Viola, will have her rival back! Fly high my new Angel. Peace out!

Ann Marie/ Tom Smith - March 05, 2020 at 12:00 AM