



George Emil Jewell

March 2, 1926 - April 9, 2017

George Emil Jewell of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan passed away on Sunday April 9, 2017 at EUP Hospice House. He was born March 2, 1926 in Grafton, Wisconsin but was raised in Crystal Falls, Michigan. George played high school football and played the trumpet. After school his father would hire him out to the neighboring farms to pick potatoes. After he graduated from school he enlisted into the US Navy and was a signal man on one of the LST supply ships. The GI Bill enabled George to attend Michigan Tech and graduated in 1951 in the forestry field. During this time he worked for the government forestry in Colorado surveying new roads. George and his wife Josie Poglese were married in September 1948 in Sault Ste. Marie and raised their four children there. George worked and was part owner and retired from Poglese Excavating Company where he worked with his father in law and two of his brother in laws. He was a member of the VFW, a lifetime member of the Christopher Columbus Hall, and a lifetime member of the American Legion. George would volunteer his time at the Legion doing the book keeping and taking care of the operation of the Legion. He played his trumpet in the American Legion Drum and Bugle Corp and played Tapps for the fallen soldier. For the past eight years Georges home was at Freighter View Assisted Living where he was loved and cared for by the entire staff. George is survived by his children Sherral Suarez (Rich) of Parsipanny, NJ, Diane Marx (Harry) of South Lyon, MI, Brad Jewell (Kim) of Virginia Beach, VA, Kathrine Jewell (Daughter in Law) Sault Ste. Marie, MI. His grandchildren

Scott E. Jewell, Graig Suarez, Aaron Marx, Ryan Marx, Ian Jewell, and Eric Jewell. Great grandchildren Riley and Megan Jewell, Sophia and Leo Marx, Josephina and Gabrielle Marx. George is predeceased by his wife Josephine M. Jewell (Poglese). A son Scott J. Jewell and his parents Albert and Mary (Johnson) Jewell. Memorial service is on Thursday April 13, 2017 from 10:00am until 1:00pm with a service at 12:00pm at Clark Bailey Newhouse Funeral Home. The family requests in lieu of flowers donations be made to EUP Hospice House. Online condolences may be left at www.clarkbaileynewhouse.com

Tribute Wall



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“ *Our sympathies to George's family.*

Sam and Marcia White - April 12, 2017 at 12:00 AM