



Gerald "Jerry" Noel Horn

December 25, 1941 - January 3, 2021

Gerald "Jerry" Noel Horn, aka Pierre, age 79, of St. Ignace, Michigan, died January 3, 2021, in Petoskey, Michigan. He was born December 25, 1941, on Mackinac Island, Michigan, to Archibald Jacob and Roma Margaret (Squires) Horn.

Jerry grew up on Mackinac Island where he attended the Thomas W. Ferry School and as a mischievous boy even pulled Margaret Douds's pigtails. After school, he worked on the island for his entire life. He met Irene Woodford going for a soda pop with a group of friends and she fell for his wink. They were married on November 3, 1962, in St. Ignace at the Rectory of St. Ignatius Church and made their winter home in St. Ignace while their summer home was on the island. Jerry worked for the Carriage Tours and the City of Mackinac Island for many years, retiring in 2011.

Jerry attended both St. Ignatius Catholic Church in St. Ignace and Ste. Anne's Catholic Church on Mackinac Island, depending on the season. He was a member of the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians. He was also a member of the Legion of the Moose and Moose Lodge in St. Ignace.

Jerry loved boating and always owned a nice boat. He enjoyed visiting with people and always told jokes and gave candy to everyone. He also enjoyed being a local "Santa Clause" during the Christmas season.

Jerry is survived by his wife of 58 years, Irene Horn; five sons, Gerald Horn of St. Ignace, Gary (Susan) Horn of St. Ignace, Archie Horn of St. Ignace, Kevin (Stacy) Horn of Traverse City, Michigan, and Thomas (Tracy) Horn of Hessel, Michigan; four grandchildren, Sasha (Roger) Ormsbee, Annmarie Horn, Brandon Horn, and Johnathan Horn; one great grandson, Jeremiah Ormsbee, brother, Roger Horn of St. Ignace; sisters, Linda (Larry) Belonga and Jennifer Glashaw of St. Ignace; mother-in-law, Philma Leazier; sisters-in-law, Bonnie Woodford Culfa of St. Ignace and Lindy Mattox (Kevin) McNamara of Moran, Michigan; and brothers-in-law, Patrick (Peggy) Woodford of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Michael (Rose) Woodford of St. Ignace, and Dale Woodford of St. Ignace many nieces and nephews.

Jerry was preceded in death by his parents, Archibald and Roma Horn; brothers, Loren Horn and Frank Horn, sister Mary Horn; sister-in-law, Elaine Horn; and brothers-in-law, Ernie Glashaw and Glenn Mattox, Jr.

Flow-through visitation will be held on Monday, January 11, from 3:00 PM until 6:00 PM at Dodson Funeral Cremation Burial Services, 240 McCann Street in St. Ignace.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Tuesday, January 12 at 11:00 AM at St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church, 120 Church Street in St. Ignace.

Final resting place will be Mackinac Island Protestant Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Mackinac Island Cemetery

Mackinac Island, MI 49757

Previous Events

Flow Through Visitation

JAN 11. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Galer Dodson Funeral & Cremation
240 McCann Street
St. Ignace, MI 49781

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church
120 Church
St. Ignace, MI 49781

Tribute Wall



“ Gerald "Jerry" Noel Horn

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ Gerald "Jerry" Noel Horn

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ Gerald "Jerry" Noel Horn

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ To the entire Horn I am so sorry to here about Jerry's passing.
Growing up on Mackinac Island and knowing Jerry and many of the
rest of the family for a very long time he will be missed. God Bless
all of you in this very difficult time.
Bob Sawyer

Bob Sawyer - January 11, 2021 at 02:31 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Gerald "Jerry" Noel Horn.



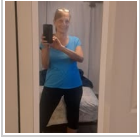
January 09, 2021 at 01:12 PM

DF

“ Don J Finn purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Gerald "Jerry" Noel Horn.



Don J Finn - January 07, 2021 at 11:18 AM



“ One of a kind, never forget his infectious smile. One of my best memories of Mackinac was Jerry. RIP

Karen



Karen Keagle - January 07, 2021 at 04:52 AM

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“ One of the nicest person I knew! Prayers for all of you. 🙏🙏🙏🙏

Trudy & Jerry St andrew - January 06, 2021 at 08:30 PM

MB

Jerry was a great guy always telling a joke n often visited me in the summer. I'm gonna miss his fun loveing spirit. Prayers go out to Jerry's family at this most difficult time. I'm sure gonna miss my buddy ...he knew my dad n went to school with my uncle n family as a young boy. He will be greatly missed by all who knew his loveing n fun spirit. Rest in peace buddy. Until I see you on the other side

Marge Marie bekins - January 06, 2021 at 11:31 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gerald "Jerry" Noel Horn.*



January 06, 2021 at 07:50 PM



“ *I'm going to miss you Uncle Jer. I'm so happy my kids got the opportunity to meet you, and that we got to see you when we came home in September. My favorite joke you always said to me was a simple one, "you dropped your pocket" while pointing. I fell for it more times than I care to admit haha. My kids have fell for it as well. I have so many memories with you in them. I love you so much. Watch over us.*



Nicole Turley - January 06, 2021 at 07:45 PM