



## George P. Peaine

March 12, 2015

George P. Peaine Sr. 91 of St. Ignace Township passed away Thursday evening March 12 at his home. He was born April 24, 1923 on Garden Island, Michigan (Near Beaver Island) to Jacob and Katherine (Anthony) Peaine. He graduated from high school and served in the U.S. Army during WWII, serving in India and Burma, and was awarded Two Bronze Stars. He served from April 7, 1943 to December 12, 1945, the end of the War. He was a Commercial Fisherman all his life. He is a life member of Sault Tribe Chippewa Indians, and St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church. He married Geraldine Anthony in 1975 and she died on May 5, 2000. His first wife was Edna Wabanimkee and she died in 1962.

He is survived by 2 sons, Larry (Marti) Peaine of Pullman, MI and George Jr. in Huntsville, Alabama; step children, Lisa Rogers, in the Soo; Robert (Kelly Jenkins) VanHeuvelan, St. Ignace and Michael VanHeuvelan, St. Ignace and Kathy (Scott) Dale in Grand Haven. He is the last of the Peaine children. Also a grandson who cared for him, Troy McNees, and his friend Danielle Moses; and 3 great grandchildren. Chloe, Autumn, and Troy Jr. and many grandchildren and great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by children, Jacob and Catherine and sister, Vera Mae Johnson, Children Gloria and Kenneth and Barbara, all who died in 1967 in an auto accident. Also step children, Debbie McLeod and Donald McLeod..

Cremation has taken place, and a Memorial Mass will be held on Saturday, March 21 at St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church at 11 am with Fr. Pawel Mecwel and Deacon Tom McClelland officiating. Burial will be in Wequayoc Native American Cemetery in the Spring. Visitation will be from 10 until service time at the church.. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the family for funeral expenses. Dodson Funeral Home assisted the family with arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ *George P. Peaine*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *George P. Peaine*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *George P. Peaine*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *Greetings I wanted to pay my respects to my Uncle George Peaine, Sr.. I am the granddaughter of Vera Mae Johnson (George's sister). My mother's name is Barbara. Unfortunately, we did not have the pleasure of meeting George, I have read that he was very loved. I really wish he had the chance to meet my mother Barbara, she is such a good soul. God's blessings for all eternity*

**Michelle** - December 02, 2019 at 10:06 PM



“ *Praying for your family. May God comfort all of you. Never got to meet him, but if he's anything like his stepson Larry, I know I would have loved him*

**Amy Carroll** - March 17, 2015 at 07:04 PM