



Merrill Payment

June 7, 1924 - August 12, 2018

On Sunday, August 12, 2018, Merrill ("Mert") Francis Payment, left this earth to join his Heavenly Family on what would have been the 104th wedding anniversary of his parents. He fought a valiant fight against the horrible diseases of Dementia/Alzheimers.

"Mert" was a World War II Veteran, a lifetime member of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He was preceded in death by his parents: Thomas and Alice (Maleport) Payment; wife: Dorothy (Keiser) of more than 68 years; a son who died at birth; Sisters: Marie, Virginia, and Doris; and brothers: Clayton, Alvin, and James.

He leaves behind a son: Lee (Chriss) Payment and a daughter: Rita (Donald) Garlinghouse; special niece: Patricia (Arndt) and husband (Donald) Minshall and special nephew: Joseph (Nancy Zenker) Arndt; grandchildren: Thomas, Suzette, Micheal, Nancy and Alice; and several great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews; sister-in-law: Cleda LaFaver and brother-in-law: Howard (Mary) Keiser; special friends: Roger and Mary Eckley and family; and many cousins and friends.

At this time we would also like to send a special heartfelt thanks to Hearthside Assisted Living and Hospice of Sault Ste. Marie for their patience and caring of "Mert" in his final days.

A private ceremony will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *We are so sorry to hear about the passing of Mert. Our condolences to the family* ”

Kevin & Jean Keiser - August 19, 2018 at 12:00 AM