



Gerald "Bud" Rose

April 5, 1927 - January 18, 2014

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86, of Emmett Township, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, January 18, 2014.

He was born April 5, 1927 in Port Huron to the late Richard Edward and Mary Catherine Rose.

His marriage to Dorothy Jean Pattillo was May 7, 1949 at First United Methodist Church in Port Huron. Dorothy passed away Saturday, July 9, 2011. During his service in the U.S. Navy during World War II, Bud served aboard the USS Jason in the Pacific theater. Bud then worked for the Detroit Edison Company until retiring in 1988.

He was a longtime and faithful member of the Church of Believers in Yale. Bud loved to serve, along side his wife of 62 years, in assisting missionaries abroad, as well as community and neighbors alike.

Bud also enjoyed boating, fishing, hunting, flying airplanes, motorcycling, snowmobiling, woodworking, traveling and camping.

He was a member of American Legion Post# 320 and the Blue Water Sportsman Association.

He is survived by a daughter and son-in-law, Peggy (Dennis) Clark of Minnesota; two sons and daughters-in-law, Steven "Buck" (Cathy) Rose of Fort Gratiot and Jerry (Patti) Rose of New York; 13 grandchildren, Jason, Justin, Brian and Adam Rose, Amanda Morey Schultz, Matthew and Bradley Morey, Aron (Julie), Zachary (Angela) and Gabriel (Lindsey) Clark, David

Rose, Laura (Josiah) Travis and Katelyn Rose; 6 great-grandchildren and one on the way; sisters, Shirley Ellis, Eleanor Walker, Marilyn (Jim) Rumley, brother Arnold (Pat) Rose, brother-in-law Stanley Simpson, as well as many nieces, nephews and friends.

He is preceded in death by his sister Phyllis Simpson, and brothers-in-law, Ed Ellis, Bob Walker, George Shivers, James Shivers and Charles Pattillo.

Bud's family honors his memory and invites you to visit and share memories Monday 3:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Kaatz Funeral Directors, Yale, with a service of remembrance at 6:00 p.m. led by a grandson-in-law Pastor Josiah Travis.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Tuesday at St. Martin Lutheran Church, 805 Chestnut St., Port Huron with 10:00 a.m. visiting. Mr. Phil LaGore, pastor of Church of Believers, Yale, will officiate. Burial will be in Kinney Cemetery, Clyde Township. Memorials are suggested to "Wounded Warrior Project".

A memorial luncheon will be held at the church following burial.

For information and Guest Book

kaatzfunerals.com

Cemetery Details

Kinney Cemetery

3351 Vincent Road
Clyde Township, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 27. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kaatz Funeral Directors - Yale
10 S. Main Street
Yale, MI

Visitation

JAN 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Martin Lutheran Church
805 Chestnut Street
Port Huron, MI 48060
(810) 982-9261

Service

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Tribute Wall

DO

“ *O how I miss u n aunt Jean I love y'all dearly
may u rip*



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DK

“ *Dick Kaatz lit a candle in memory of Gerald
"Bud" Rose*



Dick Kaatz - January 28, 2014 at 09:46 AM

BS

“ *Bud & I first met in the Fall of 1957 when nine of us spent a three
day weekend roughing in a cabin in Lewiston for Joe Ryan on West
Twin Lake. We worked hard and shared numerous laughs. Often
we've recalled those happy times. We haven't seen each other
much since we both retired from Detroit Edison/DTE some years
ago. Any time I hear Bud's name I will recall his sense of humor and
I'll smile. Thinking of him and his family.*

Bob Sheehy - January 28, 2014 at 07:30 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gerald "Bud" Rose.*



January 25, 2014 at 02:07 PM



“ *No visit to MI was complete without going out to see Uncle Bud and Aunt Jean. I loved their beautiful place and his stories. One was about how a turtle had made his way to Uncle Bud's pond and ate up all the fish that he had stocked the pond with. Boy was he unhappy. I can't recall if uncle Bud caught that turtle or not. If so, then he enjoyed turtle soup, if not, then he thought about it.*

My prayers to his children and grandchildren. We know that he is in heaven with Aunt Jean.

Kathy Shivers Studebaker - January 24, 2014 at 09:20 AM



“ *Bud was always the funniest guy. When his wife passed we thought it might be nice for him to have a dog to keep him company and our son was looking for a good home for his large black lab. So we asked him, Bud would you like this beautiful black lab to keep you company ? He responded, I think I would rather have an elephant if that's possible. We will miss you Bud, but give our love to Jean.....*

Judy LaGore - January 24, 2014 at 09:14 AM