



Robert Milton VanNess

October 3, 1913 - December 5, 2013

Robert Milton VanNess

100, of Mussey Township, died Thursday December 5, 2013 at McLaren Lapeer Region Hospital, Lapeer.

He was born October 3, 1913 in Berlin Township, the son of Charles and Goldia May (Elliot) Van Ness.

His marriage of 58 years to Josephine Beischer was June 5, 1943 in the Methodist Parsonage in Dryden, Michigan. Josephine died Tuesday, September 4, 2001.

Robert was a supervisor at General Motors, Flint, for 25 years until his retirement in 1974. He was a lifelong resident of Capac and life member of the North American Hunting Club, the National Rifle Association and was a member of A. A. R.P.

Surviving are two brothers, Keith (special friend, Betty Eldridge) VanNess of Troy and Russell VanNess of Florida, several nieces, nephews, including Jim Lubahn, Cindy Murray and Diane Stoutenburg and many friends.

Preceding him in death were siblings, William, Don, Dale, Richard and Leatha Tinder.

The family honors the memory of Robert and invite you to visit and share memories Monday 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Kaatz Funeral Directors, Capac.

Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Tuesday with 10:00 a.m. visiting. Rev.

Sarah Flatt, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, Capac, will officiate. Burial

will be in East Berlin Cemetery, Berlin Twp.

Memorials are suggested to St. John's Lutheran Church, Capac.

Previous Events

Service

DEC **10.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Kaatz Funeral Directors - Capac
202 N. Main Street
Capac, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Uncle Bob was a gentle soul who will be deeply missed by his close friends and family. I'm glad I was able to visit him with Dad (Keith) and Betty not too many years ago when visiting from California. May you now rest peacefully with Aunt Jo by your side.##imported-begin##Tracy Van Ness##imported-end##*

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“ *My dear buddy Bob I only knew you for a short period of time but you stole my heart! You were such a sweetheart and a pleasure to be around! May you rest in peace, you will be missed!##imported-begin##Sara Simpson##imported-end##*

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“ *I know that Bob will be sorely missed by his brother, Keith. Bob was a very caring individual and would do anything for anyone that needed it.##imported-begin##Ken & Kathy Jurn##imported-end##*

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