



Arthur R. Geib

February 26, 1924 - November 13, 2016

Arthur "Art" Raymond Geib, age 92, of Farwell, passed away November 13, 2016 at Medilodge in Clare. Art was born on February 26, 1924 in Sears, Michigan, to Philip "Ray" Raymond and Ethel (Stone) Geib. He lived and attended school in Farwell.

Art served proudly in the Army during WWII as a Military Police Investigator in Germany, and a Basic Training Drill Instructor at Ft. Bliss, TX.

He lived in Berkley, MI raising his family and working for Sears, semi-retiring near Lapeer, where he operated Art's Appliance Service over twenty years until retiring completely.

Art shared the past eighteen years with his beloved Bette, finally moving back to Farwell.

Art was an avid golfer, participating in leagues and tournaments for over fifty years and even shot a "hole in one". He loved the outdoors, deer hunting, and was a fisherman with many stories of "ones that got away".

He enjoyed traveling as often as he could. He also enjoyed years of active membership in the Lapeer chapter of the Elks club.

Art will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Art is survived by his long time companion Aida "Bette" Sullivan; his daughters Vesta (Gary) Edmonds, of Georgetown, Texas, Dawn (Doug) Rice, of Hastings, Penny Stone, of Wimberley, Texas, and Jane Valerie (Brian Keschull) Commander, of Cooks; grandchildren Stirling (Shannon) Garrett, Monica (Jeff) Cozzens, and Colt (Larissa) Meakin; great grandchildren

Frances and Gemma Cozzens, Austin Hoy, and Emileigh and Avery Meakin, and many nieces and nephews. Also surviving are his brothers John and Courtland Geib and sister Mary Chmielewski.

He was preceded in death by sisters Amy Nichols and Laura Maynard and his "surrogate son", Jim Crego.

Art willed his body to Michigan State University for the purpose of research and education. Arrangements were handled by the Clare Chapel of Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

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Randy Spence - February 18 at 10:23 PM

RS

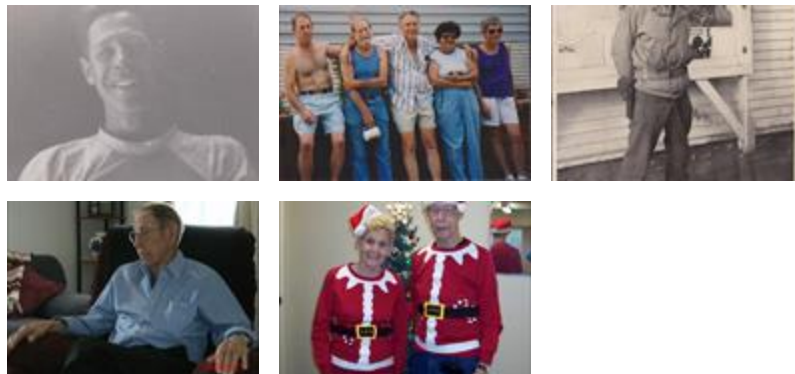
“ purchased this used book on ebay, and discovered that it was once owned by arthur. undoubtedly he read it countless times to his four daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. he seems to have been a good guy.



Randy Spence - February 18 at 10:20 PM

JC

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Jane Commander - November 19, 2016 at 03:15 PM

WC

“ *My Uncle Art was the first uncle I ever knew. He was also my favorite! I remember him as always funny, and kind. He always had a smile for me whenever I saw him. Unfortunately as I got older and he got older, seeing him got replaced by life in general. My loss to be sure. Uncle Art, I love you and you are missed. I pray that God has welcomed you into his arms. God bless.*

William Churchill - November 16, 2016 at 07:10 AM

JC

“ *On the day I left for active duty in the U.S. Army, Dad took the day off, calling in to work just that morning. He took me to the bus station and saw me off. As the bus pulled away, I saw, through my window, tears rolling down his cheeks.*

This was the only time I ever saw him in tears.

This was also the only time he spontaneously called in to just take the day off work.

I cried all the way from Flint to Detroit, having realized, for the first time, how very much he cared for me.

Jane Valerie Commander - November 15, 2016 at 09:10 PM

PB

“ *Patsy Bouchard sent a virtual gift in memory of Arthur R. Geib*



patsy bouchard - November 15, 2016 at 11:09 AM

PB

“ *Very sorry for yalls loss, family an friends will be in our thoughts an prayers.
I found him to be very nice an funny the few time I got to see him.
You will be greatly missed.
Let your memories fill the hearts to aid in comfort for your family.
Love Patsy*



patsy bouchard - November 15, 2016 at 11:09 AM

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Stephenson-Wyman Funeral Home - November 15, 2016 at 03:38 AM