



Clarence W. White

September 24, 1921 - December 22, 2010

CLARENCE WHITE MARQUETTE- Clarence W. White age 89 of Marquette, died Wednesday, December 22, 2010 at his home in Marquette, MI. He was born on September 24, 1921 in Norway, the son of the late James and Bessie (Osborne) White. Clarence graduated from Norway High School in 1939. He served his country in the U.S. Army during World War II in the Philippines and Japan. Clarence married Sophie Mikolajczyk on August 8, 1942 at St. Barbara's Church in Vulcan. She preceded him in death on February 6, 2000. Clarence worked as a fire and crash truck mechanic at K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base from 1960 to 1984, when he retired. He was a member of St. Peter Cathedral in Marquette, American Legion Post #44, Life Member of Amvets and National Association of Federal Employees (NARFE). Clarence is survived by his son David White of Waukesha, WI; grandson Jonathan White; brother Robert White of Iron Mountain; sister Gladys White of Quinnesec; several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brother Lewis White and sister Beryl Carlsen. Private Family Services will be held for Clarence. Interment will be held at the Norway Township Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

RT

“ *Mr. White was positively the most kind, gracious man I've had the pleasure to meet. Soft spoken, he was always so polite. I was saddened to hear of his passing. My deepest sympathy to his family.*

ROSE TALAGA - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *My deepest sympathy to Mr White's family and friends. Such a gentle and kind person. I will miss his visits and will keep him in my prayers. Rest in Peace my friend,
Linda*

Linda Borro - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ *I worked with "Whitie" at KI Sawyer for many years. He was a great guy. I just talked to him at Walmart just before Christmas, and he was doing so good then. We are really sorry to hear of his passing and send our deepest condolences. He was a very special guy.*

Jim and Sharon Petrella - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ *I worked with clearance at K.I. Sawyer and later took over his job as a fire truck mechanic, he helped me get started on fire trucks , he was very patient and understanding , I will always remember him for that .*

Charles Nurkkala - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PR

“ *You will be greatly missed. You were a kind man with a gentle heart. We are so glad to have gotten to know you. Thank you for being part of our lives.*

Paul and Jess Racine - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *My sympathies to your family. I met Mr. White while working at the Catholic Credit Union in Marquette, and have kept in touch with him even after I left for a new job. I am deeply saddend by his passing, and will miss him. Jenne*

Jenne Beauchaine - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Dave so sorry to here about your dad. He was a patient in the lab where I work, Marquette, Internal Medicine. I always enjoyed talking to him. Take Care Dave

DAVE A. BALBIERZ - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ When informed of his passing, Clarence's fellow workers at K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base and members of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees all spoke highly of what a fine person he was.

John Erm - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM