



James W. Addington

August 29, 1923 - April 20, 2009

JAMES WILLIAM ADDINGTON NORWAY – James “Jim” William Addington, age 85 of Norway, died April 20, 2009, at his home. Jim was born on August 29, 1923 in Isley, Kentucky, the son of the late Lee Monroe and Jessie Irene (Merrill) Addington. His father was a coal miner and moved his family to Burgettstown, Pennsylvania when he was very young. Jim grew up in Burgettstown, served his country in the Merchant Marines during WWII, returned home to marry Mary Jane McIntyre and began working as a strip miner for the Harmon Creek Coal Company. In 1966 he moved his family to Midland, Michigan where he worked for the State of Michigan until he retired. In 2003 he moved to Norway to be closer to his family and began volunteering at the Norway Senior Center and St Vincent de Paul store. On June 18, 2005, he married Mary Scott whom he met at the Senior Center. Together they enjoyed retirement, travel and spending time with family. Jim enjoyed reading, golf, music, and helping others. He also enjoyed attending all of the grandchildren’s and great grandchildren’s school and sporting events, spending time with his family and going out for that Friday Fish Fry. Jim is survived by his wife Mary; daughters, Luanne (Roy) Guiliani of Norway; Jane (Mark) Priniski of Rib Lake, WI and son, John “Jack” (Bill Carroll) Addington; stepson Charles (Barb) Frechette of Cedar Grove, WI, step daughters Ann (Myke) Forstrom of Norway; Barb Frechette of Shawano, WI, Mary Beth (Loren) Snyder of Ripon, WI, and Julie Frechette of Norway; 4 grandchildren Tina (fiancé John “Zeke” Zanona) Guiliani, Anthony (Alicia) Guiliani, William

(fiancé Alexia Rutherford) Priniski, James Priniski; 6 step-grandchildren Rhys and Eric Frechette, Valerie Forstrom, Tony Flood, Chase, and Bryce Neuens, and 2 great-grandchildren Austin and A.J. Guiliani. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Mary Jane, sister Jessie Lee Brabson and brother Merrill B. Addington. Family will greet friends on Thursday, April 23 from 10-12 p.m. at Miner-Ortman Funeral Home in Norway. A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, at 12 p.m. at Miner-Ortman Funeral Home, with Rev. James Britt, pastor of Grace United Methodist Church in Norway, officiating. Family request that in lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Norway Senior Citizens Center or the Grace United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Jim will be missed. I so enjoyed his Sunday afternoon visits. I will have to learn to like Manhattans so that I can have one in his honor.*
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Brenda Malcolm - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM