



## Justin Renier

March 23, 1921 - March 27, 2020

NORWAY- Justin "Justy" N. Renier, 99, of Norway passed away on Friday, March 27, 2020 at ManorCare Nursing Home in Kingsford MI.

He was born in Two Rivers WI, on March 23, 1921 the son of the late Justin and Leona (Jacquart) Renier.

Justin grew up on various dairy farms in Wisconsin. In 1936 he moved with his family from Jefferson County WI to Faithorn.

Justin married Doris Stein on March 5, 1956 in St. Stephen's Church in Loretto. She preceded him in death on March 28, 2005.

He joined the US Coast Guard in 1942, and served aboard the USS Poughkeepsie during WWII.

After his military service, Justin worked at Lloyd Manufacturing in Menominee MI. He then began his lifelong career as a painter/decorator. He started his own business, Renier Painting and Decorating, painting many homes and businesses in the Norway area. He continued working until the age of 88.

Justin is survived by his brother, Clifford Renier of Faithorn; many nieces and nephews; and his special friend, Geraldine Gardiner.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Doris; his parents; four sisters Julia (Clarence) Miller, Lucille (Vic) Polzin, Viola (Jesse) McClure, and Leona Renier; three brothers Joseph (Esther), Gilbert (Jane), and Orville (Millie) Renier; and sister-in-law Gloria Renier.

Justin will be remembered for his amazing memory and keen sense of humor. He shared many stories of his painting days with Ron Jarley. He loved hunting and spending time at the Renier camp, sharing stories with the family.

Justin also played baseball with his brothers and Faithorn friends. He was in good health until being admitted to the VA in Iron Mountain last September and then went to ManorCare in January.

A Military graveside service will be held on Saturday, August 7 at 10:30 a.m. at the Norway Township Cemetery.

The Renier family extends a special thank you to the staff at the VA CLC and ManorCare for their kindness and assistance, and to all who visited and prayed for him.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

AUG 7. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Norway Township Cemetery  
Norway Township, MI

# Tribute Wall

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“ Sorry to hear of Justins death he was smart kind man My father Bruce Stuart ate his meals with Justin at Manorcare until dad passes feb 20 we enjoyed visiting with him always positive now their friendship continues love and sympathy Candy and Bill Buchcuski

Candy Buchcuski - March 31, 2020 at 06:03 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



David Mayers - March 30, 2020 at 02:00 PM

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Dave, thanks for the pic. I'm grateful you stopped to visit him in ManorCare & gave him a copy of this pic. He got a kick out of it and talked about working with you. Thanks again.

Peggy Mendina - March 30, 2020 at 03:04 PM



My sympathies to Justin's family. I always enjoyed listening to the stories he and Orville would tell. In all the years I knew them I don't think I ever heard the same one twice.

Mike Salfai - October 13, 2020 at 02:28 PM

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“ *My sympathies to Justin's family. I lived next door to him for the past couple years. He was very sweet. I will miss seeing him sitting outside and talking to him this summer. I'm sure he is smiling down on all of you now.*

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**Carll** - March 30, 2020 at 12:03 PM

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**Carol** - March 30, 2020 at 12:04 PM

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*Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Renier family. We've been friends with Ron and Justy for 50 years and look back on those years with fond memories. He will be sorely missed. Dave and Char Mayers*

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**David Mayers** - March 30, 2020 at 01:32 PM