



Kenneth DeNeve

May 28, 1931 - February 28, 2006

KENNETH DENEVE KINGSFORD- Kenneth R. DeNeve age 74 of Kingsford died Tuesday, February 28, 2006 at home. He was born on May 28, 1931 in Kingsford the son of the late Emil and Emma (Hannebach) DeNeve. Ken served his country in the U.S. Army from 1954 to 1956 during the Korean Conflict and was honorably discharged on February 3, 1956. He married Marilyn June Marchetti on September 8, 1956 in St. Barbara's Church in Vulcan. She preceded him in death on December 10, 1990. Ken lived in Norway from 1956 to 1970 where he worked at the Bottling Company, then they moved to Ironwood in 1970; where he was employed with North Star Beverage Co., until 1994. After retirement, Ken enjoyed spending time at Stevens Lake in Tipler, WI in the summer and Kingsford Heights in the winter. He also enjoyed going to the casino and playing cards with close friends. He is survived by his sons Mark (Faith) DeNeve of Andover, KS., and Scott (Lisa) DeNeve of Ironwood; daughter Tina (Rich) Huotari of Hurley, WI; brothers Bill and Eddy DeNeve; 10 grandchildren; 1 great grandchild. Ken was preceded in death by four brothers Louis, Able, Julius and Phil DeNeve and three sisters Elsie Scantland, Alice Heidtke and Mary Smith. Visitation will be held on Saturday, March 4, from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the Miner-Ortman Funeral Home in Norway. Prayers will be held at 10:30 a.m. at the funeral home. The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. at St. Barbara's Church with Fr. Joy Adimakkeel, presiding. Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.