



Milton Rodney Nyberg

June 27, 1930 - January 11, 2017

NORWAY- Milton R. Nyberg age 86 of Norway, went to his eternal home on Wednesday, January 11, 2017 at Manor Care in Kingsford, Michigan.

Milton was born in Norway on June 27, 1930, the son of the late Harold G. and Nancy (Soderbeck) Nyberg.

Milton graduated from Norway High School in 1949.

He served his country in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in Korea from 1951-1953. Milt held several jobs during his working years: the Norway Sewing Factory, Khoury Furniture, the City of Norway, and the VA Medical Center (from which he retired from the food services department in 1993).

He was an active member of the Evangelical Covenant Church of Norway and worked to maintain the church for many years. Always enjoying music, Milt also sang in the church choir. He fondly remembered playing guitar and mandolin in the church string band.

Milt enjoyed nature and the beloved family camp, Maple Grove. In October, he was able to revisit the rustic camp and enjoyed a pasty and his first 4-wheeler ride. In his younger years he also enjoyed working in his flower garden.

Milton was a kind, gentle man who loved his family. After his parents died, he was the caregiver for his younger brother. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

He is survived by his sisters, Lenore Soderlund of Norway and Joyce Fredrickson of Santa Barbara, CA, nieces, Beth Henrion and Nancy Zelman, and nephews, Chuck Soderlund, Kurt Fredrickson and Brad Fredrickson. Milton was preceded in death by his parents, his brother, Donald, and brother-in-laws, Irving Bing Soderlund and Norm Fredrickson.

The family wishes to thank his former caregivers from Hyland Nursing Home, Pinecrest Medical Facility, and Manor Care Nursing Home. His doctors, nurses, and caregivers were exemplary.

A memorial service for Milton will be held in the spring.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Evangelical Covenant Church Memorial Fund at
120 O'Dill Rd. Norway, MI 49870.

Cemetery Details

Norway Township Cemetery

Norway Township, MI

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Nyberg Family,
I saw in the paper that Milton had passed. It saddened my heart and I just had to write to you. My family and I got to know Milt when my mother, Anna Ganz, was a resident at Hyland Nursing Home for over a year. She passed in April 2015. Her roommate was Gloria Green and Gloria and Milt were already friends when my mother arrived. Gloria was wheel chair bound and he used to push her all over the place. It was so sweet. They were such good friends.

Milt was such a nice man. We got to know him quite well . I was at Hyland every week almost every day and always saw Milt. I also used to help quite often at Bingo. My mother, Gloria and Milt used to win quite a bit.:) We had many conversations about how he grew up in Norway, his family, church and hunting. My son came home to visit from Texas and we were at Hyland visiting my mom in the living room area. Milt came down and joined us and he and my son Travis started talking hunting. We own a camp in Vulcan on road 577 passed Pelligrini's farm and Lasche's farm. Milt knew right where we were located and the two of them talked for almost an hour. His long term memory on hunting and the area was very sharp. Travis truly enjoyed his conversation with Milt..

When my mother was failing and near the end of her life, Milt used to come and see her. He even sang a few times when my whole family was there. He was a gem.

I know you must all have wonderful memories of Milt. He touched many people. I'm sure my mother was in the crown to greet him when he arrived in the next life in heaven.

You are all in my thoughts,
Sincerely,
Lori (Ganz) Mellon

Lori Mellon - January 15, 2017 at 12:10 PM

BH

Thank you for these comforting words, Lori. God used Milt in many circumstances. I'm happy you knew him and his kind heart. He was a sweet man who loved Jesus.

Beth Henrion - January 15, 2017 at 06:42 PM

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Lori, do you know my daughter, Kristin? Milt was her great uncle.

Beth Henrion - January 15, 2017 at 06:46 PM



“*Rosemary Haepers lit a candle in memory of Milton Rodney Nyberg*



Rosemary Haepers - January 12, 2017 at 10:16 PM



Lenore and Family: In the love that surrounds you, may you find strength....In the memories you cherish, may you find peace. God's Love and Blessings, Pete and Rosemary Haepers

Rosemary Haepers - January 12, 2017 at 10:19 PM