



Wallace J. Bouchey

February 14, 1923 - November 6, 2009

WALLACE BOUCHEY VULCAN- Wallace J. "TOB" Bouchey age 86 of Vulcan, died Friday, November 6, 2009 at the Clement J. Zablocki VA Medical Center in Milwaukee, WI. He was born on February 14, 1923 in Goodman WI. The son of the late Peter and Zella (Jolly) Bouchey. Wally graduated from Norway High School in 1942. He served his country in the U.S. Navy during World War II in the Pacific and Atlantic. Wally married Jeanette Massie "the love of his life" on March 8, 1947. She preceded him in death on December 20, 2000. He worked at Asselin Creamery in Norway, Ford Motor Plant in Kingsford, LaFaive Oil Company and Northland Associate Grocers, Inc. Wally was the care taker of the Dickinson Co. Fair Grounds for 28 years, an avid sportsman who enjoyed hunting, fishing, trapping, camping and snowmobiling. Wally was one of the founders of the Tri-County Snowmobile Club and was very active grooming the trails. He enjoyed traveling and trying new things, he even had his private pilot license for pleasure flying. He was an active member of Quinnesec Methodist Church, and Dickinson Co. Fair Board. Wally had a real zest for life and was very close to his family and enjoyed watching his grandchildren and great grandchildren perform in school activities, he was loved and will be missed by his family and friends. "Faith, Family, Friends, Fairdays, Food, and Funny Stories" Wally is survived by his daughters Darlene (David) Heupel of Quinnesec and Susan Bouchey-Hoffman of Norway; grandchildren Lisa (Michael) Reed of Quinnesec, Lynn (Pat) Porthouse of Norway, Elsa (Bill Brown) Samborski of Pembine, WI and Letty

(John Galeazzi) Lantagne of Niagara, WI; step-grandchildren Nancy (Michael) Frydrych of Goodman, WI., Cody (Arlene) Hoffman of Fence, WI. and Jamie Hoffman of Portland, OR; great grandchildren Kristina, Justin, Kayla, Cameron, Brandon, Teressa, Courtney, Nick, Zachary, Hunter and Mikey; great step-grandchildren Savannah and Holly; brother Edward Bouchey of Vulcan; sister Janet Haase of Tucson, AZ; brother-in-law George LaFaive of Iron Mountain; sister-in-law Alice Branam of Gladstone; several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by son-in-law Ron Hoffman; brother-in-law Norman Haase; sister-in-law Edith Bouchey. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, November 10 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Ortman Funeral Home in Norway. Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday, November 11 at 10 a.m. at the Ortman Funeral Home, with Pastor Andy Filizetti and Pastor Pauline Rupe, officiating. Interment will follow at the Norway Township Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

BD

“ Please accept my sincere condolance. I meet Wally when I was the head cook at the Norway Senior Center. He always had a smile on his face and a joke to tell. He will be missed.

Bobbi Dollar - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ Please accept my deepest condolences in the loss of Wally! It was a pleasure knowing him and his family! I enjoyed hearing his stories! I will never forget him! May you remember the good times and find comfort in these memories!

Selena Okler - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ Susie, Darlene & family-We would like to extend our deepest to you at this very difficult time. He is at peace now and with your mom. Cherish the memories!

Rob, Karla & Emme Massie - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. I have had the pleasure of knowing Wally for many years. He saw me grow up showing cattle at the DCF and in my adulthood I was honored to serve on the DCFB with him. I enjoyed his jokes and laughter. My God Bless your family and know that many others feel your loss.
-Adrien-

Adrien and Mike Brzoznowski - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ Uncle Wally was a great man. We will always remember him by his smile. He was a dedicated husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. May time heal and enhance the fond memories you share. May he rest in peace.

Bob and Madge Massie - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Dear Darlene, Suzy and family. My condolences go out to you all. I sure will miss Uncle Wally. I have wonderful childhood memories staying with your family during the fairs and helping Uncle Wally around the grounds. I will be arriving in town on Tuesday.

Scott Branam - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ Dear Sue, Darlene and families, Extending our deepest sympathy to all of you. We have the best memories of our days as neighbors and friends of your Dad and Mom. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Nita and Glen.

Anita and Glen Westphal - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ My condolences to Wally's family. Great friend. Loved his jokes and his stories. Wally was a role model on what a Father and Grandfather should be. If I am only half the Grandpa Wally was I will be a great Grand Father. He will be greatly missed. I will look forward to seeing him again!!

Jack O'Brion - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH HIS FAMILY. I REMEMBER GROWING UP IN KINGSFORD HELPING MY DAD (JIM FINN) WHEN HE PAINTED THE FAIR GRANDSTAND,ETC. HE WOULD GIVE ME A RIDE ON HIS TRACTOR.A GREAT MAN. I AM A BROTHER OF THE LATE NANCY (GEORGE) LaFAVE

DANNY FINN - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ I have known Mr. Bouchey all my life. He was my sister-in-laws father. He was fun, energtic, loving and giving. I will always remember fair days were special because of him. Any day hanging out with him was special or he made it seem so. I will miss him. My heart felt sympathy goes out to all of the family which includes some of my close family. I am thinking about you and praying for everyone in your time of sorrow.

Lane Brown - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ SO VERY SORRY TO HEAR OF HIS DEATH HE WAS A GREAT MAN AND FRIEND TO ME AND GREG ILL MISS SEEING HIM AT THE RACES GOD BLESS YOUR FAMILY I KNOW HE LOVED ALL OF HIS FAMILY

lori greg maas - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ Lisa, Elsa & Family,
Sorry to hear about the loss of your grandfather. I have faint memories of him when we were growing up. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.
Dina

Dina (Degenaer) Perrault - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM