



## William J. Brew

June 21, 1933 - September 25, 2008

WILLIAM BREW NORWAY- William J. Brew age 75 of Norway died Thursday, September 25, 2008 at his home. He was born in Manistique on June 21, 1933, the son of the late James and Mae (Lemon) Brew. William served his country in the U.S. Marine Corp. during the Korean Conflict. He married Carol Ahrens on July 26, 1952; she preceded him in death on November 30, 1979. He married Joyce Cootware in 1981 in Las Vegas, NV. William is a member Hall-DeWinter Post #145, American Legion and Norway Lodge #362, Free and Accepted Masons. He enjoyed spending time with his family, the outdoors, hunting and fishing. He is survived by his wife Joyce; sons Bradley (Kim) Brew of Big Rapids, Scott (Cindy) Brew of Rapid River, Tim (Candy) Brew of Norway; daughter Becky (Dale) Kocian of Green Bay, WI; grandchildren Kyle and Korey Brew, Mike (Tana) VanGoethem, Ryan VanGoethem, Ranelle and Allison Brew, Bo and Tami Brew; 3 great grandchildren; step-sons John (Pam) Wallis of Kingsford, Mark (Debbie) Wallis of Grand Rapids and Stephen (Kathy) Schoen of Kingsford; many nieces and nephews. William is preceded in death by his brothers Glenn and Stanley Brew and his sister Arbutus Anderson. Visitation will be held on Monday, September 29 from 4-7 p.m. at the Miner-Ortman Funeral Home in Norway. Funeral Services will be held on Monday at 7 p.m. with Rev. James Britt, pastor of Grace United Methodist Church officiating. Interment will be held on Tuesday at the Norway Township Cemetery on Tuesday at 10 a.m.



# Tribute Wall

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“ *Brad, Becky, Scott and Tim, Your Father was a big part of my childhood. He was always kind to me and my brother and sisters. Your family and mine spent alot of time together and I can still hear his hearty laugh. It makes me smile. Hold on to each other and that will help your sorrow. Re-tell all the stories and that will keep him alive forever. Take care,*  
*Sissy Pollard*

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**Sissy Pollard** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Tim and Candy and all the families, we wish to send our heartfelt sympathies to all of you. May God surround you at this time with His Loving Grace and Bless You and give you comfort . Love and Prayers, Roy and Nan Chellew*

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**Roy and Nan Chellew** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM