



William D. Helgren

February 11, 1932 - March 16, 2012

WILLIAM HELGREN NORWAY- William D. Helgren age 80 of Norway, died Friday, March 16, 2012 at the Oscar G. Johnson V.A. Medical Center in Iron Mountain, MI. He was born on February 11, 1932 in Iron Mountain, MI the son of the late Carl and Ruth (Lundberg) Helgren. Bill served his country in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He married Ruth Welch on April 26, 1958 in the Evangelical Covenant Church in Norway; she preceded him in death on July 15, 1997. Bill returned to the Norway area in 1969 and worked for Northland Grocers until his retirement. He enjoyed watching the Chicago Cubs, being outside, fishing and walking his dog. He also was a big supporter of the area's community bands and loved to go to their concerts. Bill is survived by his sons Jeff Helgren of Norway and Kevin (Kathryn) Helgren of Fox River Grove, IL; grandson Joshua Helgren; brothers Charles Helgren and Don Helgren; sister Ruth Holme; several nieces, nephews and cousins. He was preceded in death by his brother David Helgren and sister Dorothy Anderson. Family will greet friends on Thursday, March 22, from 4-6 p.m. at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Norway. Funeral Services will be held on Thursday at 6 p.m. at the Evangelical Covenant Church with Pastor James Danielson officiating. Interment will be held at the Norway Township Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

VH

“ *My sympathy to Jeff and Kevin at the loss of their father. I knew both your parents and though I am no longer near Norway, I still think fondly of the people there.*

Virginia Forbes Haycock - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Our prayers are with you Jeff and Kevin. We will see you next month. If you need any estate or tax services please do not hesitate to ask me. My fee, as always, is zero.*

The Keehn Family - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ *Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.*

Karen (Giuliani) Bishop and family - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ *Jeff...so sorry to hear about your dad but know he is in a better place now. No more suffering and with your mom. Let Mike or I know if there is anything we can do or anything you need. God bless and we will keep you all in our prayers.*

Kris Schalow - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ *Dear Jeff & Kevin my heart goes out to you. Jeff, since talking with you Monday you & your Dad & Kevin have been in my prayers. This journey has been a difficult one for everyone & may you have God's peace. Your parents are finally sharing a time without pain & struggles. Love, Denise*

Denise Nault - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM