



Leonard S. Gornowich

November 15, 1922 - January 13, 2010

LEONARD S. `SARGE` GORNOWICH, age 87 of Harbor Beach, passed away Wednesday, January 13, 2010 at Lakeview Extended Care and Rehab Center of Harbor Beach Community Hospital.

He was born on November 15, 1922 in Bingham Township, to the late Bruno and Julia (Wyochowski) Gornowich. Sarge and Marion Stanke were united in marriage on April 28, 1951. Sarge served in the US Army for over two years during World War II, he was involved in many battles including Normandy. Sarge worked as a carpenter for many years, including the city entrance signs for the city of Harbor Beach.

Sarge was a member of Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic Church, the Harbor Beach Lions Club, and the American Legion Post 197 for 60 years. He loved to do woodworking, stained glass, hunting and fishing. Sarge also enjoyed his cards and dominos with friends and family.

He is survived by his wife Marion of Harbor Beach, and their children: Gary Gornowich and his wife Mary of Harbor Beach, and Bonnie Braun of Saginaw. Eight Grandchildren: Tracy (Derek) Woodke, Julia (Mark) Brown, Nick (Beth) Gornowich, Brion Gornowich, Jessica (Jason) Bursick, Erica (Tim) Jaruzel, Wesley Braun and Jeremy (Erica) Braun. Six Great Grandchildren: Joseph, Ellie, Mae, Claire, Nichole and Lily. Two Sisters: Joyce Vankirk and her husband Skip of Warren, and Marie Batton and her husband Bob of Utica.

Leonard was preceded in death by his siblings: Bea Giles, Irvin Gornowich, Barb Ferrins, Victoria Wilson and Gerald Gornowich.

Cremation has taken place at Sunset Valley Crematory. A memorial service will take place Tuesday, January 19, 2010 at 11:30 am in the Ramsey Funeral Home of Harbor Beach with Fr. William Spencer officiating. A gathering of friends will take place on Monday from 1-9pm in the funeral home and on Tuesday beginning at 10 am until time of services at 11:30. Military Honors will be given by the American Legion Post 197 of Harbor Beach.

Tribute Wall



“ Leonard S. Gornowich

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