



Harold Leroy Newmarch

March 7, 1919 - February 18, 2017

Harold Leroy Newmarch, 97, of Kingsley, passed away on Saturday, February 18, 2017. He was born on March 7, 1919 in Kingsley, to the late Earl and Mildred (Smith) Newmarch. Harold was a lifelong resident of Kingsley, where he farmed most of his life. He married his beloved wife Mary Hency on June 7, 1939; together they raised six children and watched their family grow until she passed away on February 27, 2000. Harold retired in 1984 from the Grand Traverse County Road Commission. Hunting was always his passion, but he also found time to go bowling, throw horseshoes, or go fishing. Harold is survived by his children: Eleanora (Dale) Strange, Joan Willingham, Juanita (Bob) King, Marion (Don) Peplinski, Sharon (Terry) Case, and Dan (Amy) Newmarch; 18 grandchildren; 36 great grandchildren; 6 great great grandchildren; his siblings: Vera Riley, Doris Stein, Irene Stremlow, Helen Fritz, Jay Newmarch, and Leona Nye; sister in law Anna Newmarch and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; wife Mary; brothers Kenneth and Floyd Newmarch; sister Lena Themn grandson Pat Case; great grandsons Josh and Jedidiah; son in law Russell Willingham and grandson in law Jeff Stone. A funeral service will be held at 11:00am on Saturday, February 25, 2017 with final visitation beginning at 10am, at the Kingsley Baptist Church, 7511 Blackman Rd, Kingsley; with Pastors Mike Brayton of Kingsley Baptist and Carl Litchfield of Kingsley United Methodist to officiate the service. Burial will take place in the spring at Kingsley Evergreen Cemetery. Memorial contributions in Harold's honor may be made to Kingsley

United Methodist Church or the Kingsley Area Ambulance. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery - Kingsley

Kingsley, MI 49649

Previous Events

Final Visitation

FEB **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Kingsley Baptist Church
7511 Blackman Road
Kingsley, MI 49649

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ 148 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Kalkaska Funeral Home - February 24, 2017 at 09:33 AM

LW

“ So sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. I so much enjoyed him and your Mom - and you sisters also! *Lorah Wright, DO*

lorah wright - February 22, 2017 at 07:46 PM

CS

“ Our sincere condolences. He will be greatly missed.

*Greg and Carolyn Newmarch Sutherland Bradenton, Florida
(Daughter of Levi James Newmarch)*

carolyn sutherland - February 19, 2017 at 07:17 AM

SM

So sorry to hear of his passing. I always liked him. I will always remember the Christmas day he taught Bruce how to shoot Ellies chickens with Bruce's new bb gun just to make them jump.

Sue Ellen Mageli - February 25, 2017 at 04:34 PM

PS

“ *Pamela Smith lit a candle in memory of Harold Leroy Newmarch*



Pamela Smith - February 19, 2017 at 06:42 AM

PS

“ *Uncle Harold you will be missed so much. Love you ! Pam Smith*



Pamela Smith - February 19, 2017 at 06:41 AM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Leroy Newmarch.*



February 18, 2017 at 09:21 PM

LS

“ *So sorry to hear that Harold has passed. I have fond memories of being teased a lot when I spent time at his house. I will always remember his big smile. My heart goes out to all of you with much prayer.*

LoAnn Shumsky

Neta and Jim Call send their regards.

LoAnn Shumsky - February 18, 2017 at 08:57 PM

JS

“ *Jerry And Carol StremLOW lit a candle in memory of Harold Leroy Newmarch*



jerry and carol stremLOW - February 18, 2017 at 07:23 PM

JS

I will always remember his laugh and "oh well" and when asked how was doing, his answer was and I quote The right side of the dirt. God bless

jerry and carol stremLOW - February 18, 2017 at 07:25 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Leroy Newmarch.*



February 18, 2017 at 07:19 PM