



Arthur Fortier,

June 4, 1931 - April 20, 2004

"Arthur Fortier Jr."

QUINNESEC - Arthur R. Fortier Jr., 72, of 553 Quinnesec St., Quinnesec, died Tuesday, April 20, 2004, at Dickinson County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain.

He was born June 4, 1931, in Escanaba, the son of the late Arthur Sr. and Marian (Vickery) Fortier. He had been a resident of this area for most of his life.

Arthur was a 1950 graduate of Iron Mountain High School. He served during the Korean War with the United States Navy. He worked for Bacco Construction for more than 40 years, retiring in 1993.

He married the former Bonnie Reese on May 24, 1973, in Iron Mountain. Arthur was a member of the Iron Mountain Elks Lodge and the Teamsters Union. He had more than 2,000 hours of volunteer work at the Pima Air Museum in Tucson, Ariz. He enjoyed building model airplanes and had recently returned to this area after spending ten years in Tucson.

Arthur is survived by his wife, Bonnie; a son, Arthur III (Leslie) Fortier of Iron Mountain; a stepson, Rick (Doreen) Trevino of Tucson; two daughters, Kimberly (Glenn) Strehlow of Menomonee Falls, Wis. and Kelly Fortier of Hernando, Fla.; a brother, Jack (Sally) Fortier of Spread Eagle, Wis.; a sister, Marylee (Frank) Oatley of Marquette; seven grandchildren, Arthur IV and Caitlyn Fortier, Carrie and Ryan Strehlow, Destiny Wilkinson, Scott Trevino, and Tawnie (Eric) Knight; two great-grandchildren, Taylor and Celina Knight;

and several nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be on Friday, June 4 from 11 a.m. until noon at Trinity United Methodist Church in Iron Mountain.

Memorial services will be at noon at the church. Rev. Dr. Meredith Rupe will officiate.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Arthur Fortier online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the funeral arrangements.