



## Harold R. Sexton

July 1, 1943 - May 19, 2017

Harold R. Sexton,

73, of Randville., passed away on Friday, May 19, 2017 at the Oscar G. Johnson VA Medical Center in Iron Mountain

Harold was born on July 1, 1943 at the McGregor Maternity Home in Sagola. He was the son of the late Cloyde and Annie (Presley) Sexton. He has been a lifelong resident of this area and was a graduate of Channing High School. Upon his graduation, Harold joined the United States Coast Guard. He was honorably discharged in 1961. Harold married Judy Ann Chaffee on September 30, 1978 at First Presbyterian Church in Kingsford. He was employed for many years with Laborers Union 1329.

Harold loved God and his family. There was nothing more important to him than spending time with family and those he loved. He was a pure example of unconditional love, and always had an open armed hug waiting no matter who you were. Harold was never afraid to witness to others about Gods love. He was a walking testimony, just in the way he lived. Harold valued all life. He spent a lot of his time walking in the woods, mushroom and ginseng hunting, and loved to plant his gardens, prospect, hunt and fish. He had the gift of hospitality and opened his door to anyone. He had an appreciation for life and found goodness in everything. Harold was an excellent teacher and could encourage anyone to stand strong and persevere on their darkest day. Harold taught others the value of remembering what's important in life and never to miss an opportunity to show those you love what they mean to you. He never

complained and was always ready and willing to jump in your corner in times of need.

Harold is survived by his wife, Judy; daughter, Faith (Cory Vedin) Sexton of Iron Mountain; son, Chad Sexton of Iron Mountain; brothers, Earl (Bonnie) Sexton of Kingsford, Roy (Connie) Sexton of Chandler, AZ; sisters, Dorothy Miller of Iron Mountain and Sylvia Piche of Niagara; special brother in law, Richard (Chris) Chaffee of Iron Mountain; four grandchildren, Alexis Sexton of Little Chute, WI, Mia, Monroe and Jacob Vedin of Iron Mountain. Also by many nieces, nephews and cousins.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three sisters and five brothers.

Visitation will be on Saturday, June 10th from 10:00-12:00noon at Maranatha Assembly of God Church in Kingsford. Memorial services will follow at 12:00noon Saturday at the church. Rev. David Wilton will officiate. Burial will be in Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Harold Sexton online at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Cemetery Park

Cedar Ave  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 10. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Maranatha Assembly Of God  
920 S. Carpenter Ave.  
Kingsford, MI 49802

## Memorial Service

JUN 10. 12:00 PM (CT)

Maranatha Assembly Of God  
920 S. Carpenter Ave.  
Kingsford, MI 49802

# Tribute Wall



“ *William Frederick lit a candle in memory of Harold R. Sexton*



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**William Frederick** - June 13, 2017 at 12:21 AM



“ *Faith Sexton (daughter) lit a candle in memory of Harold R. Sexton*



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**Faith Sexton (daughter)** - June 12, 2017 at 02:09 PM



“ *Jackie Granquist lit a candle in memory of Harold R. Sexton*



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**Jackie Granquist** - June 09, 2017 at 11:37 AM



“ *It was an honor to know you Harold. You were always a blessing! You and your family inspire others. You are in the Glory of the Lord! Strength and peace to all of you as you go thru this time. Love, In His Care, Rebecca L.*

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**Rebecca L** - June 01, 2017 at 12:33 PM

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“ *Robyn Dennocenzo lit a candle in memory of Harold R. Sexton*



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**Robyn Dennocenzo** - May 31, 2017 at 02:06 PM

CG


“ *Dear Judy and Family,*

*I am so sorry to hear about Harold. My deepest sympathy to you all.*

*Cynthia Gordon*

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**Cynthia Gordon** - May 30, 2017 at 04:06 PM

 Abby  
Moore

“ *Judy, Faith, and Chad, you have my prayers! You are and will always be family! Uncle Harold is missed. Looking forward to the day we meet again on those Streets of Gold! He found his ultimate treasure! Love you all! Abby M.*

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**Abby Moore** - May 30, 2017 at 11:03 AM