



Joseph Mortl

June 19, 2008

KINGSFORD - Joseph Mortl, 96, of Kingsford, died Thursday, June 19, 2008, at the Hyland Nursing Home in Iron Mountain.

He was born March 20, 1912 in Iron Mountain, son of the late George and Josephine (Ischeliessing) Mortl. He was a lifelong resident of the area and he attended Iron Mountain Schools.

On July 19, 1941, he married Margaret Olson at St. Mary and St. Joseph Catholic Church. She preceded him in death on Oct. 20, 2004. Joseph had worked for the Ford Motor Co. and the Veterans Administration Medical Center before retiring.

Joseph served during World War II and was a sergeant in the air transport command. He was a member of American Martyrs Church, the Elks Club, the American Legion Post 50, the Golden K and the Golden Throats. He was also a member of the Breen Senior Citizens Center and was named Volunteer of the Year. He was in charge of the pasty sale which was held every month at the Breen Center. He enjoyed golfing, playing bridge, and gardening. Joe was an avid fisherman and especially enjoyed ice fishing on Cowboy Lake.

He is survived by two sisters-in-law, Gladys Lucarelli of Kingsford and Karla Evans of Hopkins, Minn. and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Gertrude Noonan and Agnes Wiegele and five brothers, Steve, George, Jack, Henry, and Anton Mortl.

Visitation is scheduled Sunday from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Tondin-Ross and Freeman Funeral Home in Iron Mountain.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday at the American Martyrs Church in Kingsford. Fr. Daniel Moll will offer the Mass of Christian Burial.

Burial will be in the Quinnesec Cemetery.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Joseph Mortl online at www.tondinfuneralhome.com

The family has entrusted the Tondin-Ross and Freeman Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the funeral arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences to family of my former neighbor, Joe, our nice neighbor. I have many fond memories of Joe and Margaret when I was growing up.*

Karen Jensen - June 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM