



LeRoy A. Sandberg

December 4, 1935 - December 3, 2020

LeRoy “Lee” Sandberg, 84, of Kingsford, passed away on Thursday, December 3, 2020 one day before his 85th birthday at St. Mary’s Hospital Medical Center in Green Bay after a courageous battle with COVID -19. He was born on December 4, 1935 in Hibbing, MN to the late Olive and Roy Sandberg. He was also preceded in death by a sister, Letha Ray.

He is survived by a brother, Eugene Sandberg of Bemidji, MN, a sister, Anna Trenberth of Hibbing, MN and sister-in-law, Diane Jobin, of Palm Desert, CA. Also left to carry on LeRoy’s legacy are 4 siblings: Mark (Patty) Sandberg of Granger, IN, Kathy (Scott) Beaster of Kingsford, Patty Olson of Green Bay and Thomas “Beav” (Jen) Sandberg of Iron Mountain. He also leaves behind 8 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

LeRoy also leaves behind his church family and his special friends at the Woodward Bar where you could find him on a daily basis playing the game he loved so much, Cribbage.

LeRoy graduated from Hibbing High School and after graduation he was drafted in 1954. He served his country aboard the USS Pine Island (Seaplane Tender). He attended college at Hibbing Junior College. He along with his loving wife moved to the Iron Mountain-Kingsford area in 1960. He worked in the mining supply/service industry with Northland Equipment & Supply Co. for

many years and finished his career at Cloots and Swanson.

His hobbies included: Gardening, both vegetables and flowers, something he took great pride in. His daily journal entries and also his daily walks with his friends.

His love for his family cannot be surpassed. Family gathering were special for LeRoy. He had a deep faith in our Lord Jesus Christ and he is now re-united with the love of his life, his wife Barbara.

We loved him dearly and he will be deeply missed. A memorial to celebrate LeRoy's life will be held in the summer of 2021.

Condolences to the family of LeRoy A. Sandberg may be expressed online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

JR

“ *Debbie and Robert (Sonny) Olson and their family wish to send our love and deepest sympathy to your family. My parents so enjoyed visiting with Lee and your mother whenever they saw them. They admired the love and admiration that they had for each other. He was a great guy and it was an honor to know him!*

Jill Romagnoli - December 26, 2020 at 11:02 AM



“ *Lee was an absolute 10 of a man. A true gentleman. I know my dad loved him as a customer and friend as I did. I loved taking time and he also talking about life. His faith in Christ is awesome. Wished we would have spoke about that. Will miss him. In gods arms now. God bless. Steve Juul*

Steve Juul - December 10, 2020 at 09:40 PM

JD

“ *The Sandberg family.
Our condolences to you as you grieve the loss but celebrate the life of your dad. We have so many great memories of all those years we spent sharing Lane Street as our families grew up together. Lee and Barb were always the treasured friends of all of us in that neighborhood. We will not forget their kind and generous nature. Our thoughts are with you.*

Jim and Daryn Debelak

Jim & Daryn Debelak - December 10, 2020 at 05:06 PM

CF

“ True sadness at the passing of LeRoy, a trusted partner of my father's and myself as we worked together so many years at Northland. His commitment to our success will always be treasured and many memories of two young families starting out in business in Iron Mountain in the 60's. LeRoy and Bobbie will always be some of my favorite people when I start to remember the good old days at Northland. Thank you LeRoy for your friendship and your trusted partnership with my father, you will be sadly missed and always remembered.

All our Love,
Craig, Lori and Jim Frendewey Sr. and our extended family

Craig Frendewey - December 10, 2020 at 05:01 PM

MC

“ Lord knows how much fun i had with your dad an Jerry Corlette on our many trips together to go up to agate to see my dad. Leroy was a great guy an alot of fun to be around. I smile thinking their together again having a cold one at the old irenes woodward bar. my sincere condolences. Mike Carlton

Mike Carlton - December 10, 2020 at 04:52 PM

JV

“ I am very sorry for the loss of your Dad, and also of your mother. They were both such very nice people. I often visited them and "caught up" with news about their children at ""senior day" at Econo Foods. They will be missed by all who knew them.

Jim Verley - December 10, 2020 at 05:01 AM

CB

“ *Leroy and Barb were neighbors of my parents Bruce and Julie Stuart and they shared a life long friendship. Deepest sympathy love and prayers in your loss. Will also miss seeing him at the Woodward.* 💜



candy buchcusi - December 09, 2020 at 06:36 PM