



## Marvin "Mort" Brocker

December 10, 1933 - December 21, 2014

Marvin C. "Mort" Brocker, 81, Florence, WI, died Sunday, December 21, 2014 at his home. He was born on Dec. 10, 1933 in St. Nazianz, WI, the son of the late Milton and Christena (Rosenbauer) Brocker.

Mort graduated from New Holstein High School in 1952. He served in the U.S. Navy and had worked at Tecumseh. For thirty years Mort owned and operated the Elite Bar in New Holstein.

Mort was a member of the New Holstein Lions Club, Outdoors, Inc. the Disabled American Veterans, and the American Legion. He enjoyed hunting and fishing.

He married Barbara DeGroot on July 22, 1995 at the Elite Bar. The couple moved from New Holstein to Florence in 2004.

Mort is survived by his wife Barbara, one daughter Sandy (Blato) Blatz of New Holstein, two grandchildren Cassandra and Brandon Blatz, one brother Ralph Brocker of Lower Michigan, and three sisters Bernice (Frank) Groh of New Holstein, LaVerne Kabat of Fond du Lac, and Jean (Bernie) Fraser of Milwaukee. He is further survived by his mother and father-in-law Arlene and John DeGroot, two brothers-in-law Jack (Bonnie) DeGroot of Arizona, and Jerry (Carla) DeGroot of Green Bay, two sisters-in-law Mary Kay (Alan) Olson

of Pulaski and Susie (David) Brandonburg of Chilton, three special friends Tim Webber, Steve Hess and Renee Russo, his furry four legged friend Coco, and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother Jerome "Romy" Brocker, two sisters -in-law Irene Brocker, and Rosalie "Lee" Brocker, and one brother in law John Kabat.

Visitation will be Saturday from 12 noon -2pm at Sippel Funeral Home in New Holstein, WI, Funeral services will be Saturday at 2pm at the funeral home.

Condolences to the family of Marvin "Mort" Brocker can be expressed online at [www.ernashfuneralhome.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhome.com).

In lieu of flowers, a memorial will be established in his name.

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home with the arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 27. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Sippel Funeral Home  
2618 Altona Avenue  
New Holstein, WI 53061  
(920) 898-4300

## Funeral Service

DEC 27. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Barb, Sandy, and family: There are far too many memories, great memories, of Mort to share them all here. Memories of spending vacation time with Sandy at their home when we were very young, and Mort taking the time to comb Sandy's long hair every morning... Memories of hunting and fishing with Mort and dad... Building hunting blinds... playing cards.... or just telling old stories and having a cocktail. Mort has been a special family friend from the day we met him. He was always there to help dad when needed. We love you Mort. We will miss you! Our heartfelt condolences to his family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.*

*Wendy & Dan Zoeller*

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**Wendy Zoeller** - December 26, 2014 at 09:53 AM