



Philip Person

March 21, 1922 - March 21, 2005

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IRON MOUNTAIN - Philip H. Person, 83, of N3768 Moon Lake Drive, Iron Mountain, died Monday, March 21, 2005, at Hyland Nursing Home.

Philip was born on June 27, 1921, in Iron Mountain, the eldest son of Henry C. and Vera M. (Sundin) Person, a pioneer family of Iron Mountain.

Philip graduated from Iron Mountain High School in 1939. He enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 1941, and was honorably discharged in 1946. He served in the Pacific Theater of Operation against the Japanese in Okinawa.

On Nov. 6, 1941, he married Kathleen B. Paige of Quinnesec in Iron Mountain and they celebrated 54 years of marriage. She preceded him in death on Oct. 14, 1995.

Philip worked for Lake Shore Inc. from 1946 to 1972 as a factory manager for the Iron Mountain and Marquette plants. He then owned and operated Super Tool & Engineering in Kingsford.

He was a member of Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, and a past member of the Chippewa Club, Pine Grove Country Club, and the Breitung Township School Board of Education.

He is survived by two daughters, Diane Schumacher of Akron, Ohio, and Pamela (Don) Edens Jr. of Kingsford; one brother, Conrad Person of Iron Mountain; two grandchildren, Steve (Tracey) Edens of Waukesha, Wis. and Mark Edens of Iron Mountain; one brother-in-law, Henry Romagnoli; three sisters-in-law, Maxine Person, Irene Person, and Shirley Person; two great-

grandchildren, Kirsten and Madison Edens and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his infant twin daughter, Dawne Kay Person and a brother, Henry O. Person.

Visitation will be held today from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be Thursday at 11 a.m. at the funeral home. Rev. Stephen Cowen will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Steve Edens, Mark Edens, Bill Edens, Don Lee, Rick Klingelhutz, Robert Cory, Dwight Romagnoli, Henry Romagnoli and Don Edens Sr.

Burial will be in Cemetery Park.

Condolences to the family of Philip Person can be expressed online at www.erickson-rochon-nash.com.

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

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Diane,Pam and family's..... was sorry to hear of your father's passing....We have many memories of both him and your mother.....I will always remember after baby sitting for you two girls he would let me drive his car when it was time to take me home....that was a great treat for a 13 year old who could hardly wait to be able to start driving which at that time was 14...also times being with them living on Moon Lake.... our thoughts and prayers go out to you all at this sad time...sincerely...Lois and Bruce Ring....

Lois and Bruce Ring - March 25, 2005 at 12:00 AM