



William E. Ruelle

June 4, 1941 - December 8, 2018

William (Bill) Edmund Ruelle, 77 of Daggett MI, was called to Eternal Life Saturday December 8, 2018, surrounded by his loving wife and family, at St. Vincent Hospital, Green Bay WI.

Bill was born to the late Edmund and Irene (Betters) Ruelle on June 4, 1941. He was raised in Niagara WI, by his father Ed and loving mother Emily (Canavera) Recla-Ruelle.

He attended Niagara High School before joining the US Navy, receiving an honorable discharge after boot-camp.

William married Susanna Mae (Streich) Ruelle of Milwaukee, WI on January 13, 1961. They were blessed and raised five children.

Bill's work ethic started at the young age of seven (7) working for the VanHoula family farm selling garden fresh vegetables door to door in Niagara WI. He was a man that worked hard to support his family, sometimes working two or more jobs. He went on to work in Milwaukee for WJ Lazinski and Kenny Construction until retiring.

He was an avid deer hunter, fisherman, and loved his garden.

Before retiring he met Darlene (Alfirevic) Daugherty they married on April 4, 2004 in Chicago, IL.

Bill is survived by his wife Darlene. His children of his first marriage, Daughter: Yvonne (Richard) Deyo, their children Anthonie; Holland (Jill); Ricarda and Stevanna. Daughter: Yvette (Paul) Smet their children Craig (Katie); Casey

and fiancé (Jenny) and Calvin. Son: Greg (Joy) their children Sarah and fiancé (Mike); James and fiancé (Samantha). Son: Darryl (Monica) and their children Grace, Mya, and Dalton. Son: JonPaul (Valerie). Step daughter: Sue (Jeff) Leonard and their children, Brandon, Brian and Cody. Great grandchildren: Rylee and Kendall Smet, Hayden Ruelle, Cody, Kyler, Kailani, and Kaisen Ruelle. Step-brother Eugene Recla, Numerous nieces and nephews.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents, and sister Margaret (Ruelle) Grumbo-Kluth and her first husband Elwood Grumbo. Step-brother Pat Recla, Daughter-in-law Crystal Ruelle, Step-son Rick Vanderveck, Grandson Levi Ruelle (Darryl & Monica), Great Grandson Muir Deyo (Holland & Jill) and unborn child of (Ricarda Deyo)

At Bill's request there will be no service, a Celebration of life event will be held in June of 2019.

Our family would like to extend a special Thank you to St. Vincent Hospital and Unity Hospice for their wonderful care.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of William E. Ruelle online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

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

Tribute Wall

MR

“ *Darlene~
Our belated condolences on the passing of Bill. We remember him fondly from our times around the discussion table at church, and you as well. His perseverance through tough times was such an example to us. May God's comfort be yours in this time of adjustments. Love and prayers, Michele and Bob Roberge*

Michele Roberge - January 07, 2019 at 04:04 PM

CS

“ *Darlene,

So sorry to hear of Bill's passing. He was such a kind and funny man. Please remember - "Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us everyday."*

*Thoughts and prayers to you.
Cara*

Cara Snowdon - December 13, 2018 at 03:47 PM

A.

“ I'll tell you what MF.Bill had some great sayings,I still use today at 56 years old.And heavy on the MF.MF.Hand me the doublejack MF.Mine,mine,mine.If you can't weld it I'll get my wife to,she used to weld on my race car.Bill taught me to weld a 2in. nipple on a 55gal. drum,with 6013 rod.He always thanked you for workn' late even though it was 3:20 when he told you.we're stayn' late,(lets mine one more pipe),If you worked one his crew that year he sent you a Christmas card. Bill was one of the best.God speed Bill. Yvette and Paul God bless you and your family I'm truly sorry for you loss.And God Bless the rest of us muckers,miners,and dumb..... With all my heart A.J.

A.J. - December 13, 2018 at 10:31 AM

WG

Bill and Rosanne Glaser Wright grew up on either side of Poquette's gas station on River St, both across from me on Clark. We had fun in the woods behind their homes, as well as at the river banks, Monkey Island, and Memorial Park. Often we'd walk to and from school, blessed to have grown up during Niagara's golden age Our last time together was our 50th class reunion at the Four Seasons. That the two of them died a day apart gives me pause. They will be remembered, missed and discussed at each Class of 61 annual gathering. Rest in peace special friends.

William Gay - December 13, 2018 at 06:20 PM