



Bruce A. Mortensen

September 23, 1920 - April 23, 2018

Bruce Alfred Mortensen, age 97, was taken home by the angels on April 23rd, 2018. He is fondly remembered by his family as a hard-working provider who taught each of them to be thankful for what they have and to work for what they want. Bruce was a long-time resident of Breedsville, MI, where he and his first wife, Lillian, raised their five children and where he owned and operated his own fuel delivery business. Bruce proudly served in the US Army as a Master Staff Sergeant during WWII in the European Theater.

After Lillian's sudden passing Bruce resided with his second wife, Maxine in Kalamazoo, MI, for many years. Bruce and Maxine enjoyed retirement together, traveling when they could and spending time with their children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. Bruce Mortensen was a proud American, devoted husband, and loving father.

Surviving are his children Stuart Mortensen, Cherri (Mike) Corning, Gary (Sue) Mortensen, Mark (Dotti) Mortensen, Trudy (Dave) Sumner, step-daughter Beth (Don) Hauck, many grandchildren, great grandchildren, 1 great-great grandchild, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his first wife Lillian, second wife Maxine, 3 infant children, 1 brother and 3 sisters.

A graveside service with military honors will take place Friday, April 27, at 11

a.m. at Breedsville Cemetery, Breedsville. The family will receive friends,
Thursday, April 26 from 6 to 8 p.m. at DL Miller Funeral Home, Bangor.
Memorial contributions can be given to Arbor Day Foundation, 211 N. Twelfth
Street, Lincoln, NE 68502

Cemetery Details

Breedsville Cemetery

CR 380
Breedsville, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **26**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bangor Chapel
258 West Monroe Street
Bangor, MI

Graveside Service

APR **27**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Breedsville Cemetery
CR 380
Breedsville, MI

Tribute Wall

MS

“ *To Trudy and Dave:
I saw your Dad's name in the newspaper. So sorry to hear about your loss. I still try to keep tabs on my Bangor Family. I will send a card as soon as I find out your address.
Thinking of you and sending a prayer your way to comfort you.*

*Mr. and Mrs. Scott
aka Maurice and Priscilla*

Maurice Scott - April 26, 2018 at 02:36 PM

LW

“ *Leroy and Jennifer Ward purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Bruce A. Mortensen.*



Leroy and Jennifer Ward - April 26, 2018 at 09:27 AM

LW

“ *Thank you Mr. Mortensen for the many lives you touch in the glorious life you led, and for leaving a legacy of the Mortensen name that few on this earth will ever achieve. Southwestern Michigan will never again be the same. Prayers to your family and friends.*

Leroy and Jennifer Ward

Leroy Ward - April 26, 2018 at 09:22 AM

CK

“ *In the short time knowing Bruce he was always a pleasure to take care of, always had a smile on his face and was so kind, we will miss him at Meadow Wood's.*

Chelsea Kasinger - April 25, 2018 at 10:45 PM

KC

“ *Ken And Barb Crandall sent a virtual gift in memory of Bruce A. Mortensen*



Ken and Barb Crandall - April 25, 2018 at 07:42 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Bruce A. Mortensen.*



April 25, 2018 at 11:53 AM

DB

“ *Uncle Bruce was a wonderful Uncle. When I remember him, I smile and think of all the times we spent with all the family together at the lake or at Grandma and Grandpa Frude"s. He will be missed much because he was and is loved much.*
Debbie Bian-Lingle

Deborah Bian-Lingle - April 24, 2018 at 05:13 PM