



John R. "Bob" Boodt

July 9, 1929 - February 6, 2008

John R. "Bob" Boodt, age 78, of Paw Paw, passed away Wednesday, February 6, 2008 at Bronson LakeView Hospital, Paw Paw. Bob was born July 9, 1929 in Kalamazoo, the son of Neil and Helen (DeVries) Boodt. He was a veteran of the US Navy during WWII, was a mechanic and operated two service stations in the Kalamazoo area, has owned and operated the Glendale Grocery since 1984, and was a lifetime member of the Bloomingdale Conservation Club. Bob enjoyed travelling, was an outdoorsman who enjoyed fishing and hunting, and most of all enjoyed being at his cottage on Big Bass Lake in Irons, MI. He was a good man, loved by his family and many friends, and would give the shirt off his back. Surviving are his wife, Noreen, whom he married June 12, 1950 in Angola, IN; 4 children, Gail (John) Schmitt of Bangor, Bobbie (Barry) Staggs of Paw Paw, Mark (Penny) Boodt of Bangor, Sallie (Tom) Dalman of Paw Paw; 7 grandchildren; 5 step-grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; his step-mother, Gloria Boodt of Las Vegas, NV; 3 brothers, Bill Boodt of Gobles, Doug Boodt of Chicago, IL, Brad Boodt of Las Vegas, NV; 1 sister, Jenell Outerson of South Haven; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Marilyn Hays. According to his wishes cremation has taken place. The family will meet friends after 12:00 PM, Saturday, February 16, 2008 at the Bloomingdale Chapel, D. L. Miller Funeral Home with a memorial service at 1:00 PM with Rev. Robert Pumfery officiating.

Previous Events

Service

FEB **16**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Bloomingtondale Chapel
203 East Spring Street
Bloomingtondale, MI

Tribute Wall



“ Uncle Bob we are going to miss you dearly, our prayers are with all of you at this time of sorrow ! With all our Love John Hays and Family Dawn Ream and Family.##imported-begin##John Hays##imported-end##

February 11, 2008 at 04:51 PM



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“ Bobbie and family:
Sorry to hear that your dad has passed, I remember the cabin in Irons on the lake and of course the Glendale Grocery. He was a great man. Steve & Sherry##imported-begin##Steve & Sherry Neeser##imported-end##

February 10, 2008 at 08:26 PM



“ Sorry to hear about Mr. Boodt. He was a wonderful man in every way. He is going to be sadly missed. God be with you all at this time.##imported-begin##William & Deborah (Dawson) Morrison##imported-end##

February 10, 2008 at 10:50 AM



“ My condolences to Bob's family,Bob was dear friend and will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Doyle Boss##imported-end##

February 10, 2008 at 02:37 AM



“ Gail, Mark,Jen, Mike,Becky and Children,
Sorry to hear of your loss. We will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers.

Love you All.##imported-begin##Timothy & Debra Searl##imported-end##

February 09, 2008 at 08:19 AM