



Jack H. Baird

July 24, 1925 - May 25, 2018

Jack H. Baird of Cadillac passed away Friday morning, May 25, 2018 at Ohana AFC Home in Manton. He was 92.

Jack was born on July 24, 1925 in Cadillac to Frederick S. & Grace M. (Hurst) Baird. On September 5, 1946 in Cadillac he married the former Betty Jean Ziegler and she preceded him in death on September 23, 2013.

Jack graduated from Cadillac High school in 1943 and soon after graduating he joined the United States Army and served during the D Day invasion of World War II. After returning from his service to our country he went to Ferris State College where he received his bachelor's degree. Right out of college Jack joined the accounting firm, Cramer, Beattie & Baird. Later they moved to the Harris Street location and the business became Baird, Cotter & Bishop and Jack retired in 1988. Mr. Baird was a member of M.I.C.P.A. and had served on their board. He was also a Life Member of the American Legion Post #94 of Cadillac and for over 70 years he was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Cadillac serving in the choir, on the Finance Committee, and as Elder, Deacon and Trustee. After his retirement Jack also volunteered with SCORE in Cadillac.

Mr. Baird is survived by his son, Richard (Leonor) Baird of Tucson, Arizona; daughter, Barbara Baird of McBain; a step grandchild; a step great grandchild

and many nieces and nephews. In addition to his wife he was preceded in death by a son, James Baird on July 17, 1993 and a infant brother, Dick Baird.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 AM Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at Peterson Funeral & Cremation Services in Cadillac with Reverend Donald VanDyke officiating. Burial will be at Maple Hill Cemetery with full military rites under the auspices of the Cadillac Area Honor Guard. Friends may meet the family from 6-8 PM Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions Boy Scouts of America or to the Cadillac Area Honor Guard. An online guestbook is available at www.petersonfh.com.

Tribute Wall

JC

“ We’
*re thinking of you and wishing you comfort and peace. Extending
our sincere sympathy.*

John & Linda Coffell - June 12, 2018 at 08:57 AM

JD

“ Barb & Rick.. *Your Dad was my first boss, a caring mentor and most
of all a good friend.
There are no words to ease your loss, just want to to know I’
m sorry you are hurting so.*

Judy "Olney" Durham - May 29, 2018 at 02:13 PM

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“ *You will be greatly missed. 5j*

Larry and Sally Veeder - May 28, 2018 at 02:32 PM