



Michael Ziolkowski

December 19, 1920 - May 28, 2016

Michael Ziolkowski, 95, died on Saturday, May 28, 2016 following a series of illnesses.

He leaves his wife of 63 years, Christine (Gordon) Ziolkowski; daughter, Donna Reno and son-in-law, Tom Reno; grandchildren, Jaime Reno and her companion, Matthew Wlodarczak, Tonya Schroka and her husband, Mike Schroka, Melisa Bertram and her husband, Ian Bertram, Nicole Bielak and her husband, Nick Bielak; 9 great grandchildren, Dylan, Callie, Gabriella, Brayden, Stella, Shaelyn, Landry, Benjamin and Andrew.

Born and raised in Detroit, Michigan, the son of John and Catherine Ziolkowski. He lived most of his life in the Detroit area, but moved to Cadillac, Michigan where he lived for the past 20 years.

He was preceded in death by his son, Gary, his parents, and brothers Edward, Edmund, Casimir, and his sister Wanda.

Michael was a naval seaman, first class, who served in WWII in the Pacific on the U.S.S. Cache. He returned home after the service and was a laborer for Kelsey Hayes where he retired after 32 years.

He was an avid fisherman who loved catching walleye in the St. Clair River,

he enjoyed hunting in the woods of Cadillac, but his passion was dancing. At any given time, you could catch him shuffling his feet and moving to the beat!

Cremation has taken place. A Memorial Mass will be held 10:00 AM Monday, June 20, 2016 at St. Ann Catholic Church (800 W. 13th Street, Cadillac, MI 49601) with Msgr. Francis J. Murphy as celebrant. His final resting place will be Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly, Michigan. Friends may meet the family prior to the mass at church. An online guestbook is available at www.pertersonfh.com.