



Delos "Bud" Matevich

December 12, 1934 - October 12, 2017

MSGT Ret. Delos "Bud" M. Matevich, aged 82 of Scottville passed away on Thursday, October 12, 2017. Bud was born on December 12, 1934 in Eden Township, the son of Stanley and Mabel (Barton) Matevich.

Bud joined the US Air Force in September, 1952 following his graduation from Mason County Central and served 20 years until his retirement in October, 1972. After returning home to Mason County, he worked an additional 26 years for Harbison-Walker in Ludington.

Bud married Frances L. Joneson in September, 1963 and they recently observed their 54th wedding anniversary. Following his retirement Bud and Fran spent their free time traveling and their winters camping at Tyndall AFB in Florida. Bud always looked forward to his monthly breakfasts with his fellow MCC classmates and his Harbison-Walker friends. If Bud wasn't cheering on his grandchildren in their activities, he could always be found reading a book or working on a puzzle

In addition to his wife Frances, Bud will be greatly missed by his children Delos M. Matevich II and Amanda Allen and husband Jim all of Scottville, his grandchildren Nicholas, Jessica, and Rachel Allen, his sisters Marsha Giles of Ludington, and Delcina (Rev. John) Ritter of Levering, his brother-in-law Wesley (Denise) Joneson of Custer, his sister-in-law Hayla Joneson of Washington, MI, and numerous nieces and nephews. Bud was preceded in death by his parents, his brother USAF MSGT Ret. Robert E. Matevich, sisters-in-law Karlyn Matevich and Barbara Scanson, his brothers-in-law Frederick Joneson, Richard Scanson, and USAF TSGT Ret. Charles Giles, and his niece Karen Giles.

Graveside services with Honor Guard rites will be held for Bud at 1:00 pm on Thursday, October, 19 at Lakeside Cemetery in Eden Township with his pastor, Rev. James Schroeder of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Scottville, officiating. Those who wish to remember Bud with a memorial donation are asked to contribute to a Library of the donor's choice.

Cemetery Details

Lakeside Cemetery

1650 East Hawley Road
Custer, MI 49405

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT 19. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DL

“ *Deepest Sympathy to Family. Dennis will always remember the stories on the boat Del told of Bud. We know he enjoyed his puzzles that kept him busy too. So Sorry for your Loss Dennis & Jean Laskey*

Dennis Laskey - October 23, 2017 at 02:02 PM

SK

“ *Dear Fran & Family.....I know, there are no words to ease the pain and sadness at this time. Bud will sadly be missed at our class, Tuesday morning breakfasts. Please know many prayers are coming your way. So sorry for your loss*

Shirley Stoevsand Knapp

Shirley Stoesand Knapp - October 18, 2017 at 11:15 PM

DC

“ *I'm so sorry to read about Bud's passing. I will remember him with Fran in the back pew at Tyndall Chapel 1, and later at the commissary with the smaller cart. Prayers and hugs to you Fran, and the family. Doris Chamlee*

Doris Chamlee - October 18, 2017 at 09:26 PM

LS

“ *God speed Bud. Hoping you have traded in those Air force wings for angel wings. My condolences to the family from a former classmate of Buds. Len*

Leonard Stankowski - October 18, 2017 at 10:59 AM

LW

“ BUD AND FRAN ARE LIFETIME MEMBERS OF THE TYNDALL FAMCAMP FAMILY. THEY WILL BE MISSED BY ALL OF US. BUT I KNOW SO MANY OF OUR FAMILY THAT HAVE GONE BEFORE US WILL WELCOME HBUDHOME WITH OPEN ARMS. (INCLUDING MY DAVID) I HOPE HE WILL MEET MY FATHER IN HEAVEN, BECAUSE EVERY TIME I LAID EYES ON BUD, I SAW MY DAD. THEY LOOKED SO MUCH ALIKE,

FRAN PLEASE REMEMBER YOU HAVE NOT "LOST" BUD, WE ALL KNOW WHERE HE WENT AND HE IS HOME NOT LOST!

ALL MY LOVE AND SHADOW'S TOO

LINDA

LINDA WINKELHAKE - October 17, 2017 at 06:02 PM

RM

“ We are so very sorry to hear this. Will always remember him being at the ballpark for all those years. We had some great times. Sending prayers and hugs to all of you. Larry and Rise’

Rise’ McIntosh - October 15, 2017 at 02:33 PM

BB

“ we are so sorry to hear of your loss James Miller (my dad) has asked me to let you know he feels the same way. Even though I did not know Bud I do know other of your family members Mark Miller and I , my children also , send our prayers Betty Miller, Bauer

betty bauer - October 14, 2017 at 06:09 PM