



Harold B. Barker

December 28, 1944 - January 30, 2011

GWINN: Harold (Hal) Barker, 66, of Gwinn and formerly Jeddo, passed away Sunday, January 30, 2011 after a brief illness.

Harold was born December 28, 1944 in Hillsdale, son of the late Athalene and Bernard Barker.

Harold was retired from the United States Navy and the State of Michigan. He was a lifelong mason and was a two time Past Master of Lexington F.A.M. 61. He was a past Master of Marquette Lodge 101, and was currently serving as Regional Grand Lecturer. Harold was scheduled to receive his Red Hat, the Meritorious Service Award from Scodish Rite, at the Council of Deliberation, this summer.

He is survived by two children Michelle (David) Griffel, and Blair (Nora) Barker.

Four grandsons: Matthew & Daniel Barker, and Joshua & Alexander Griffel.

Visitation will be held 2 – 9 PM Friday and 10 – 11 AM Saturday at the Pomeroy Funeral Home, Lexington. Funeral Services will be held 11 AM Saturday, February 5, 2011 at the funeral home. The Rev. Linda Fuller will officiate.

Tribute Wall

PK

“ *To Hal's Family,
Paul & I send you all our sincere sympathy at the loss of you father. We have special memories of our "Hi neighbor" visits whenever we would see each other out in our yards. And Samson making himself at home when your Dad came over, or him standing at the lot line and barking at our cat, who would sit just the right distance away from Samson's fence (he really just wanted to play with her). Your Dad was a fine neighbor and we truly miss him. May he rest in peace.*
The King's

Paul & Rosie King - February 07, 2011 at 01:09 PM

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“ *Cheryl and I extend our sincere condolences to Leanna and to Hals family. He was a fellow brother Mason, Navy comrade and a very dear friend. He will be missed.*
Richard E. Rozman/WM Marquette 101

Richard E. Rozman - February 05, 2011 at 04:29 PM

CH

“ *My sympathy goes out to Hal's family & also his lady friend. I met Hal a couple of years ago when my husband joined the Masons. He & Rick spent alot of time going to various Mason functions & working together with their fellow brothers. He was such a gentle, nice man who we will miss having in our lives. Rest in peace dear Hal.*

cheryl - February 05, 2011 at 03:26 PM

TS

“ *May you rest in peace Mr. Barker. I had only just met you when you left your beloved dog Sampson at our boarding kennel to watch him while you traveled. I am glad you made it back to see your friend before your departure from this world. Your friend Sampson will meet you on the other side of the Rainbow Bridge. Prayers and thoughts to your family and close friends.*

Tracey Skibo - February 04, 2011 at 07:03 PM

SC

“ *I extend sincere sympathy to Harold's family. He was a dear classmate, a man with a great sense of humour who left us too soon.*

Susan Clarkson - February 03, 2011 at 01:57 PM