



John J. Drake

February 25, 1917 - May 27, 2015

APPLEGATE: John Joseph Drake, 98, of Applegate died Wednesday, May 27, of complications due to pneumonia at Marwood Manor Nursing Home in Port Huron. His wife, Marguerite, of Applegate preceded him in death in 2007. He had two brothers, Joseph Drake and Frank Drkanic who preceded him in death. He has one sister, Mary Buchsbaum of Los Angeles, California. He is survived by his four sons, Michael (Susanna) Drake of Brethren, Michigan, Arthur Drake of Manhattan, New York, John Drake Jr. of Applegate, Thomas Martha) Drake of Fort Gratiot. He has four grandsons, Jason, Nathan, Jonathan and Caleb, children of Tom and Martha. He is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

He served in World War II in the U.S. Army in the Pacific theatre. He retired from General Motors where he worked as a model maker engineer. He built and established the White Feather Motel and LakeView Trailer Court in Lexington. He enjoyed playing golf and working around his home near Lake Huron.

Visitation will be at Pomeroy Funeral Home, Lexington, on June 1, from 9:30 to 10:30 AM followed by Mass at St. Denis Catholic Church, Lexington, officiated by Father Eppenbrock at 11 AM. Interment will be at St. Denis Cemetery. Memorials can be made to Marwood Manor Nursing Home in Port Huron where he was cared for the past ten years. The family gratefully thanks the Marwood Manor nursing staff for the great and loving care rendered him.

Tribute Wall



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Andy Norton - May 31, 2015 at 11:30 AM