



Donald Merten

August 15, 2005

Donald C. Merten, age 68 Marty (Pearl Lake) January 8, 1937 – August 11, 2005 A Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m. Monday, August 15, 2005 at Holy Cross Catholic Church in Marty, MN for Donald C. Merten, age 68, who died Thursday at the Saint Cloud Hospital. Friends may call after 4:00 p.m. Sunday and from 8:30 – 10:00 a.m. Monday morning at the Wenner Funeral Home in Cold Spring. Parish prayers will be at 4:00 p.m. and the Knights of Columbus Rosary will be 7:00 p.m. Sunday evening. Don was born in Maine Prairie Township, MN to John and Elizabeth (Post) Merten. He married Dorothy Stueve on August 12, 1958 in St. Joseph, MN. Don served on the USS Randolph from 1955-57, receiving an Honorable Discharge from the U.S. Navy in 1962. He graduated from St. John's University in 1977, and was employed by the St. Cloud V.A. for over forty years as an Alcohol and Chemical Dependency Counselor. Don was a member of the Rockville Sportsmen's Club, Knight's of Columbus, Rockville City Planning Board, VFW Post #4847, and Cancer Relay for Life. He was a member of Holy Cross Parish of Pearl Lake. Survivors include his wife, Dorothy; children Rick (Gail) of Coon Rapids, Mark (Marlene) of Big Lake, Pam Merten (Michael Borgert) of Reston, VA, and Greta (Todd) Christen of Eden Prairie; grandchildren Ericka and Jake Merten, Christopher (Leah), David and Bobbi Merten, and Tiana and Jenna Christen. He is preceded in death by his parents, John Merten and Elizabeth (Post) Killeen; and step-father Edward Killeen.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Merten*

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