



Edwin Ernest Jarvis

May 30, 1931 - November 11, 2020

Edwin Ernest Jarvis, 89, of Crystal Falls, MI passed away Wednesday, November 11, 2020 at Aspirus Iron River Hospital.

He was born May 30, 1931 in Crystal Falls, MI, son of Joseph and Jennie (Ekola) Jarvis. Edwin graduated from Crystal Falls High School, Crystal Falls, MI and attended Michigan State University. Edwin worked as a Potato Farmer for 38 years until his retirement in the fall of 1992. It was his and his wife Joan's largest crop of potatoes that year and the best crop of oats they ever raised. It seemed to be a blessing by Mother Nature and after working together for 38 years, it was fitting that we would retire on what was known as the smallest fulltime potato farm in Iron County.

Edwin met Joan in New Mexico, where Edwin was working in construction. They married March 31, 1954 and spent their honeymoon moving back to the farm near Amasa. Edwin liked to tinker with tools and machinery. With retirement in mind, a new building was put up in 1986 and was used as his "shop". It was heated so he could work in it during the winter months. The hobby of cross country skiing produced another invention from Edwin, a small groomer. Keeping their trail open and groomed was no problem. Since the farm is situated on one side of Gibson Lake, he created a family picnic area by the lake shore. This is where the entire Jarvis family gathers for their yearly family reunions. The family reunions have been enjoyed over 50 years. Edwin and Joan both said that home is the best and most comfortable place to be.

He is survived by his brother Raymond Boyd Jarvis of Marquette. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Edwin is preceded in death by his parents, wife Joan and siblings Francis, Marjorie, Joyce, Art, Arlene, Ted, Ann.

Services for Edwin will be announced at a later date.

Memorials may be made in his memory to Bethany Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 58, Amasa, MI 49903

Condolences to the family of Edwin Jarvis may be expressed online at www.nashfuneralhome.net

The family has entrusted to Nash Funeral Home and Cremation services of Crystal falls with arrangements.

Cemetery

Evergreen Memorial Cemetery

311 Logan St.

Crystal Falls, MI, 49920