



## Chester P. Novey

April 29, 1924 - March 17, 2016

Chester P. Novey, 91, of Alpha, passed away on Thursday, March 17, 2016 at the Iron County Medical Care Facility in Crystal Falls.

He was born April 29, 1924 in Crystal Falls, MI, son of the late Stanley and Sophie (Osika) Nawoj. Chester graduated from Alpha High School in 1942 and enlisted in the United States Marine Corp where he served his country for 4 years. He married Maxine Weackler on January 17, 1948 in West Allis, WI. She preceded him in death on February 12, 1992. Chester worked as a machinist for Allis-Chalmers in Milwaukee, WI, for 37 years, retiring in 1983 and moving back to Alpha. He was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed hunting and fishing. Chester was a self-proclaimed fix it man and could fix just about anything with duct tape and a hammer.

He is survived by his children, Chester (Linda) Novey, Jr., Yvonne (Jim) Ziemer, Robert (Joan) Novey, Roxanne (Al) Deutschendorf and William (Sandy) Novey; two sisters-in-law, Joyce & Joan Novey; a brother-in-law, Brian Weackler; eight grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews; and special friends, Lyle and Barb Parve and family.

Chester was preceded in death by five brothers, two sisters and a brother and sister-in-law, Sonny & Marge Weackler.

Private family services will be held.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Iron County Cancer Unit.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Chester Novey online at [www.nashfuneralhome.net](http://www.nashfuneralhome.net).

The family has entrusted the Nash Funeral Home & Cremation Services of Crystal Falls with the arrangements.



# Tribute Wall

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“ *Just chatted with you at fish fry a few months ago-you are in my thoughts*

*Bob Black*

*Ret. Alpha Fire Dept*

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**Bob Black** - April 04, 2016 at 08:13 AM

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“ *Sending our very deepest sympathy to my cousins and their families. Uncle Chet was such a kind and gentle man; the jack of all trades and master of many. Was able to visit more w/him when he moved to Alpha but there are also a lot of childhood "visiting" memories of our families both in Milwaukee area and Bark River. The family reunion in Alpha brought us all together.. Our prayers go out to you all and may you forever cherish your memories of that special man.*

*Sincerely, Pete and Bonnie Peterson*

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**Bonnie Peterson** - March 22, 2016 at 09:13 PM

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“ *Uncle Chet, you will be truly missed by us and anyone who knew you, but you will live on in our hearts. We have so many wonderful memories of you and your beautiful family. Our sympathy and prayers are with your children, grandchildren and great grandchildren at this time. Rest in peace Uncle.*

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**Mary Wallace** - March 22, 2016 at 04:46 PM