



Dennis Neil Lepisto

June 14, 1945 - December 12, 2022

Dennis N. Lepisto, 77, of Amasa passed away Monday, December 12, 2022 at his home following a lengthy illness.

Dennis was born June 14, 1945 in Crystal Falls to Aili (Toukkala)Hohman and Niilo Lepisto. He was raised by Aili and his stepfather Irvin Hohman.

Dennis is survived by his wife of 58 years, Erma Jean (Kinnunen) Lepisto, two daughters: Cara Beck of Amasa and Allison (Christopher) Smith of Iron Mountain. Four granddaughters, Hilary (Alex) Medina, Stacie (Jason) Johnson, Kristen Beck and Megan (Nick) Thomas. Five great-grandchildren, Mason, Abigail, Dennis, Audrey and Nora. Dennis is further survived by one sister Joy (Laverne) Norman of Crystal Falls and several nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his mother Aili and his stepfather Irvin Hohman also his brother Kenneth Hohman.

His wishes were to have a private family service which will be held sometime in the spring. Interment will be held in Hematite Cemetery.

Memorials may be made in his memory.

Condolences to the family of Dennis Lepisto may be expressed online at www.nashfuneralhome.net

The family has trusted the Nash funeral Home and Cremation Services of Crystal Falls with funeral arrangements.

Cemetery Details

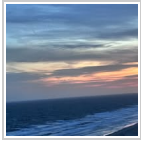
Hematite Twp. Cemetery

cemetery Rd
Amasa, MI

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall



“ My wife and I knew Dennis for over 20 years and considered him a good friend and fishing buddy. We shared the same love for Lake Superior and spent many hours fishing with Dennis he was a very good fisherman rarely can in with out a limit of Lake Trout and a good navigator on the lake. He loved talking about his family in the boat especially his Grandchildren that he was so proud of them. He was a gifted fabricator and welder any time I need a part for the boat he could do it also a very good carpenter did excellent work. He loved watching old country western shows and listening old country music. We would like to give or condolences to the entire family. He was like a brother to us and will be sorely missed. Paul and Liz Katzenberger.

LiznPaul Katzenberger - December 15, 2022 at 01:38 PM

CB

On behalf of my mom, sister and I, thank you so much for sharing such nice memories about my dad. He truly was one of a kind. ❤️

Cara Beck - December 17, 2022 at 11:54 PM

DT

“ Condolences to the family. Denny will miss seeing him at the 'man' garage sale and talking and buying parts. Denny Turner

Denny Turner - December 15, 2022 at 01:29 PM

CB

Thank you.

Cara Beck - December 17, 2022 at 11:55 PM



“ I am very sorry for the family's loss. I am happy though that I was able to visit with him in October and tell him my favorite Uncle Dennis story: As a young boy, Dennis would drive me all over the U.P. in his Ford pickups. I asked why he drove Fords when Chevy's were better. He answered that Fords had been hauling me around all summer. Language was edited for content. Love to all of the family. Paul Freudinger.

Paul Freudinger - December 15, 2022 at 01:12 PM

JR

So sorry to hear about Dennis. Take care Erm a nd the rest of the family.

Jeanne Lange Ravet - December 15, 2022 at 03:10 PM

CB

Oh Paulie, the stories we could tell! Thank you for coming and spending some time with my dad, I know he was tickled to have you here. And thank you for sharing a goo, funny story about my dad. It's nice to read the good things. ❤️

Cara Beck - December 17, 2022 at 11:58 PM

BC

My brother Bob and I met Dennis when he did work on our house in Amasa.. He did a wonderful job and was always available to come over to fix things except when he was fishing.. My sympathy to his wife, to Cara, Allison, Stacie and their families.
Beverly Carlson

Beverly Carlson - December 22, 2022 at 09:26 AM