



Jacob "Jack" Stachowicz

April 29, 1930 - August 14, 2017

Jacob "Jack" Stachowicz, 87, of Crystal Falls, MI, died Monday, August 14, 2017 at the Iron County Medical Care Facility in Crystal Falls.

He was born April 29, 1930 in Caspian, Michigan, son of the late Jacob and Catherine (Ball) Stachowicz. He attended the Alpha schools. Jack married the love of his life, June R. Clements in Milwaukee, Wisconsin on March 1, 1952. She preceded him in death on April 4, 2014.

Jack was a proud Korean War veteran and served as a corporal in the United States Army, Engineers Division. After he finished his service in the Korean War, he lived in Milwaukee, Wisconsin where he worked as a union marble and tile setter, and a machinist for Evinrude motors. Jack eventually moved back to Crystal Falls and worked as a well known local carpenter until retirement. With those skills and knowledge, you could always find him in his garage working on a project with the help of Saint Joseph and a shot of Polish Brandy for whomever came through his door. He was an avid hunter and Green Bay Packer fan. Most recently he made hats for the cancer patients, the nurses and doctors at the VA medical center in Iron Mountain and donated most of them to charities and children in local the area.

Jack is survived by his two daughters, Cheryle (Curt) Spicer and Robin (Mike) Mehrens; two sons, David and Tom (Joy) Stachowicz; 11 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren, two brothers, Bobby (Gail) Stachowicz and Frank

Stachowicz. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews. Jack was preceded in death by his brothers, Benny, Eddie, Joey and Donald and sisters, Marie, Dolores, and Carol Jean.

Funeral services will be held Friday, August 18, 2017 at 10:30 AM at the Guardian Angels church in Crystal Falls. Father Dan Malone will offer the Mass of Christian burial. Burial will be in the Evergreen Cemetery in Crystal Falls. Military Rites will be accorded.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Oscar G. Johnson Veterans Administration Medical center in Iron Mountain.

Condolences to the family of Jack Stachowicz may be expressed online at the www.nashfuneralhome.net

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

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Memorial Cemetery

311 Logan St.
Crystal Falls, MI 49920

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

AUG 18. 10:30 AM (CT)

Guardian Angels Catholic Church
412 Crystal Ave.
Crystal Falls, MI 49920

Tribute Wall



“ *Our deepest sympathies to your family in the loss of your dad. His memory lives on through all of you.
Rest In Peace Uncle Jackie
Love,
Darlene and Cathi (Marie's girls)*

Cathi Shubat - August 18, 2017 at 08:08 AM



“ *Good Bye old friend. Thanks doughnuts in the morning for the Beer on the end of our day. You will be missed by The Good Guys at US 2 Rental. Love Ya Tom and Joe*

Tom Hoenig - August 18, 2017 at 07:51 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jacob "Jack" Stachowicz.*



August 17, 2017 at 04:37 PM

SG

“ Dear Family:

Both Maureen and I wish to express our deepest sorrow for your loss. While we did not know your father, we know that he raised a deeply devoted daughter who has been our pastor and a huge help to our family. Only a truly great father and great mother could make this possible.

Know that you dad is reunited with the women he loved so very much. Our prayers are with you.

Maureen and Steve Gagne

Steve Gagne - August 17, 2017 at 08:46 AM

MB

“ *From the Crystal Falls Museum Society - Harbour House, our heartfelt condolences to Jack's family. He was our liaison to the city for many years and always in and out working on whatever needed to be done around the "house." May you rest in peace, dear friend.*
Museum Board

Museum Board - August 16, 2017 at 06:05 PM

MN

“ To the family of my friend Jack,
Jack's passing is a truly sad day for me and an embarrassment.
After leaving the area over 30 years ago; when visiting family (which wasn't often) I would drive by his house and want to go in and see him. But; I've always been a procrastinator... next time... next time...well next time never came. I worked with Jack for a few years before leaving the area. He was the greatest teacher I ever had. He was like a second father to me. I learned so much from him. People that knew Jack.... knew he definitely had a type 1 personality. I on the other hand was more mellow and could understand his way. His heart was bigger than most and it showed with his love for his beautiful wife June. I've been able to accomplish many things in my life thanks to Jack. I can't put a price on his encouragement and knowledge he shared with me. I have dozens of stories that I could share. Most of them make me laugh. One quick reference was his "unit of measure".... After work he would often say, "well that was a 3 packet." Referencing "3 packs of Marlboro's" he smoked because of a frustrating and challenging day. If we had a "1 packer" it was a good day.

I often think of the laughs we shared... and a huge smile and sometimes a LOL... will come out. My wife or co worker will say " what's up?" I just look at them and say... "I'll tell you someday"
Please accept both my wife and I into your hearts during this sad time. We know Jack is in a better place now and he will be with June.

I loved that man...

With respect,
Mike Nantelle

Mike Nantelle - August 16, 2017 at 11:50 AM

CS

“ We will miss Jack but I knew he missed his June bug so much. RIP. Thoughts and prayers.

Char and Paul Sikora - August 15, 2017 at 05:01 PM

RP

“ To my cousins. I'm so sorry to hear of the passing of your dad & my uncle. So sad our Aunts & Uncles are fading away so quickly. Two uncles left in the Stachowicz family. I never knew Uncle Jackie's real name is Jacob. I guess my brother "Jake" was named after him. God Bless you all & may your dad rest in peace!

Robbi (Stachowicz) Pittenger

Robbi Pittenger - August 15, 2017 at 12:18 PM

AA

“ Axel & Cindy Anderson lit a candle in memory of Jacob "Jack" Stachowicz



Axel & Cindy Anderson - August 15, 2017 at 11:48 AM

AC

Our deepest sympathy!

Axel & Cindy - August 15, 2017 at 11:50 AM

CW

I will sure miss my Uncle Jackie! We had so many funny phone calls, I loved his stories! He had a heart of gold and loved his family so much, especially Aunt June. I hope you are up there in heaven celebrating with her and all your family! RIP Uncle Jackie! I will see you again some day!

Charlene Stachowicz Woodcock - August 16, 2017 at 12:54 PM

CF

“ *Clements, Petersen, and Olson Families purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Jacob "Jack" Stachowicz.*



Clements, Petersen, and Olson Families - August 15, 2017 at 11:43 AM

YF

“ *Your Foresite Design Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jacob "Jack" Stachowicz.*



Your Foresite Design Family - August 15, 2017 at 11:23 AM



“ *I'll always remember "Uncle" Jack in his bib overalls. Like all the Ball relations, he had an opinion about everything and was never at a loss for words. Wonder what he's fixing now?*

Hugs to all.

Suzie (Ball) & Choddie Alexa

Suzie Ball Alexa - August 15, 2017 at 11:12 AM