



## John Novey

November 13, 1922 - November 13, 2009

John P. Novey, 87 of Alpha, passed away on Friday, November 13, 2009, at the Oscar G. Johnson VA Medical Center in Iron Mountain.

He was born January 5, 1922, in Alpha, MI, son of the late Stanley and Sophie (Osika) Novey. John graduated from Alpha High School and later joined the U.S. Marine Corp, serving in World War II. After the service he worked in the iron ore industry as a miner for several different mining companies.

John was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2891 of Crystal Falls. He was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed hunting.

He is survived by two brothers, Stanley and Chester Novey; two sisters-in-law, Joanne and Nellie Novey; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Walter, Ernest and Joe Novey and two sisters, Leona Bjork and Mary Meyers.

Military graveside services at Evergreen Memorial Cemetery in Crystal Falls will take place in the spring and be announced at that time.

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

[nashfuneralhomes.com](http://nashfuneralhomes.com)

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JUN **25**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Evergreen Memorial Cemetery  
311 Logan St.  
Crystal Falls, MI 49920

# Tribute Wall

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“ John will be greatly missed by not only me but my children as well. John went out of his way to make us feel a welcomed part of the family when others did not. We always made a point of visiting him whenever we were in town. Even when we moved a great distance away, whenever we were in Alpha, he was our first and last stop. We were even blessed to have him visit us in Idaho. God speed, John and keep a place for us.

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**Linda Novey** - November 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM