



Morris L. Yates Sr.

December 21, 1936 - March 4, 2019

Morris L. Yates Sr., 82, of Crystal Falls, passed away on Monday, March 4, 2019 at Florence Health Services.

Morris was born on December 21, 1936 in Detroit, MI, son of the late Otho and Georgia (Kirkwood) Yates.

He grew up in the Detroit area and moved to Crystal Falls in 1973. Morris married Nancy Phillips on June 20, 1959. He worked for many years in underground construction for the Laborers Union Local 1191, retiring in 1997. Morris was a member of American Legion Post 16 in Lapeer, MI and Laborers Union Local 1191. He loved rabbit hunting and raised rabbit and bear hunting dogs. He also loved to fish and enjoyed watching westerns on television and reading about the old west in books. He especially loved spending time with his grandchildren.

Morris is survived by his wife, Nancy; son, Morris Jr. (Connie) Yates of Crystal Falls; brother, Dan (Kym) Yates of Lapeer, MI; sister, Dorothy Bicigo of Crystal Falls; grandchildren, Danielle (Josh) Tucker, Noah Yates, Amanda Scott and Nicolas Yates; great grandchildren, Savannah, Ava and Trey; a sister in law, Marlene Yates of Romeo, MI. Also by eleven nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be on Saturday, March 9, 2019 from 12:00 pm-2:00 pm at Nash

Funeral Home of Crystal Falls. Funeral services will follow at 2:00 pm Saturday at the funeral home. Rev. Cheryl Spicer will officiate. Burial will be in Evergreen Memorial Cemetery.

Condolences to the family of Morris Yates Sr. may be expressed online at 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

Visitation

MAR 9. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Nash Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc.
104 N. Third Street
P.O.Box 147
Crystal Falls, MI 49920
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *My thoughts are with Nancy and all the Yates family during this time.* ”



Cathy Maddox Hill - March 07, 2019 at 06:44 PM

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“ *So Sorry of Morris' passing. I will always hold the memories of him and your family in my heart forever. Love and hugs to the whole Yates family.* ”

Carol Maddox Henshaw

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