



Harold E. Etz

August 18, 1929 - February 12, 2015

Harold E. "Harry" Etz, 85, of Tully, New York died at home after a long illness on Thursday, February 12, 2015. He was born in Syracuse to the late Harold and Delia Etz. He was a Class of 1947 graduate of St. Anthony's High School. He was a veteran of the US Navy serving during the Korean Conflict. Harry was predeceased by his wife of 51 years, the former Audrey Morse who died in 2004. He was employed in management for various trucking firms for many years. Following retirement, Harold enjoyed working as bartender at the American Legion Valley Post 1468. Favorite times were spent on Tully Lake driving his boat and playing cards with his grandchildren. Surviving are his children: Paul (Suzanne) Etz, Pulaski, New York, Mary Ellen (Tim) Fowler, Boynton Beach Florida, Tom (Kris) Etz, Austin Texas, David (Mary) Etz, Cortland, New York Nancy (Herm) Lehman, Clinton New York; grandchildren: Andrea, Daniel, Michael, Megan, Mara, Alex, Carlyn, Elizabeth, Linsey, and Brian Etz; Ryan and Thomas Fowler and Zach and Allie Lehman; brothers: John (Sandra) of California and Robert (Patricia) Etz of Virginia. Calling hours will be held Sunday, February 15th, 2015 3 to 5 p.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, Inc., 2584 Field Lane, Lafayette, New York with a memorial service to follow at 5 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, please consider donations in memory of Harry to The American Red Cross of Central NY or Hospicare and Palliative Care Services of Cortland New York.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Harold E. Etz*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - February 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *We were sorry to hear about Dad. We remember meeting him at one of the parties. We are thinking about you and the family at this most difficult time. We know he is in peace and you are in our prayers*

Love, Bill and Jacquie

February 26, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am really sorry for your loss. I just heard of your Fathers passing. He was always super to me every time I saw him. And that covers about 45 years!!*

February 18, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Please accept the most heartfelt sympathies of Le Moyne College. We hope the love and memories that you will forever hold in your heart bring you peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Syracuse, NY

February 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ I am sorry for the loss of your father. Your dad was always so friendly and happy . You had terrific parents and I'm sure many wonderful family memories. I know I always enjoyed the Etz family gatherings, especially the summers on Tully Lake. Take care.

Patty Cunningham(Woodard)

February 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ My heartfelt condolences to Paul, Susie, and the entire Etz Family. Your Dad was a wonderful man who welcomed all of us Tully friends into his home and camp. As you know, he will always be in your hearts and in the hearts of those who had the pleasure of knowing him. So sorry I missed his services. My prayers and thoughts are with you at this most difficult time.

February 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Sorry to read about Harry (Budge) as I knew him. He was a favorite nephew of my dads John McDermott. I planned on coming to calling hours but roads not good up here. I had hoped to see Bob and Patty if they came up. I always liked your dad. He was a great guy.

February 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ SO SORRY TO READ YOU LOST HARRY.HE WAS ALWAYS SUCH A NICE KIND MAN WITH A READY SMILE.

February 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Paul sorry to read about your dad I am sure he is at rest now peacefully with your mom you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers

February 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Though we knew you such a short time. You will be so missed .Our sympathy to the family for your loss.

February 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ I KNEW HARRY AS THE BARTENDER AT POST 1468 HE WAS ALWAYS GOOD NATURED AND A PLEASURE TO TALK TO. EVEN WHEN \“STANLEY\” GOT OUT OF HAND HARRY COULD BE RELIED ON TO HANDLE SITUATION. GREAT GUY. BOB GEIS

February 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the Etz family: I am so sorry for the loss of your Dad. He was a great guy loved dearly by everyone. I am sorry I am unable to make the services, however you all are in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless*

Lorraine Block-Shafer

February 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *We wish to give our sorrow for your loss. We always remember him as \"Budge\". He was my older cousin. My Dad John McDermott was his Uncle. We all remember he and Audrey. They were always so friendly and fun.*

We remember going to the camp on Tully Lake many years ago when our children were little for a party. Our children are in their forties now.

February 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM