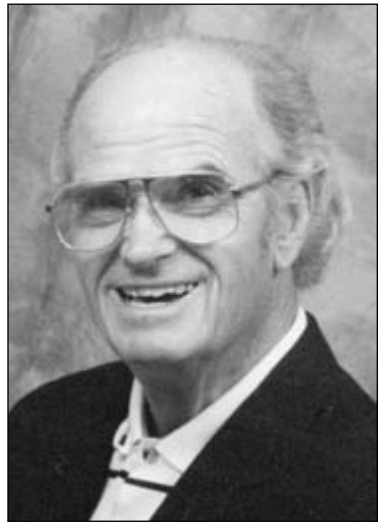


Donald Patrick



Donald Lynn Patrick, 89, of Cedarville, was a World War II veteran who also played professional baseball for the Detroit Tigers and became an Upper Peninsula businessman. Mr. Patrick died Tuesday, November 17, 2009, at War Memorial Hospital in Sault Ste. Marie.

He was born November 13, 1920, in Cedarville to Curtis Lonzo and Elizabeth S. (nee Welch) Patrick.

Mr. Patrick grew up in Cedarville, and was graduated from Cedarville schools in 1938. In 1939, he began playing professional baseball for the Detroit Tigers. He stopped in 1940 to enter the United States Navy, serving in the Pacific Theater during World War II.

He married Joan Gail Kushner November 11, 1944, in Detroit. In 1950, he became the golf pro at Plymouth Country Club and then worked in sales for automotive tool and die and electronics until 1970. In 1970, he and his wife moved to Cedarville, where they owned and operated Patrick's Restaurant and in 1980, Patrick's Wool and Down. In 1985, they moved their clothing store to Newberry, where it remained until

Donald Patrick

they retired. They returned to Cedarville in 1997.

He was one of the last living grandchildren of William and Mary Patrick, who came from Canada in 1866 and settled at what was known as Patrick's Landing in Cedarville.

Mr. Patrick was a former member of the Masons and the Elks.

He loved golfing, hunting, and following professional baseball and

Roy Ahola

Roy Raymond Ahola Sr., 62, of Kincheloe, died Wednesday, November 25, 2009, at Mackinac Straits Hospital in St. Ignace.

He was born December 2, 1946, in Sault Ste. Marie, the son of John Jacob and Ila Pearl (nee Wonnacott) Ahola. Mr. Ahola grew up in Dafter and Pickford.

He lived and worked in Lansing for 15 years. He worked at Dana Corporation, which forged steel for the automotive industry. Since then, Mr. Ahola has lived in Grand Rapids, Holland, Michigan, and most recently Kincheloe. He was a hard worker who took pride in a job well done, friends said. He was a

member of the Independent Order of Foresters and enjoyed bowling and working on cars.

He is survived by one son, Roy Raymond Ahola Jr. of Wyoming, Michigan; two daughters, Melissa Streetman of Grand Rapids and Beverly Ahola of Kincheloe, and two grandchildren, Helen Streetman and Taylor Jayemeeker. Also surviving are his sister and caregiver and her family, Mary and Temple Laux Sr. of Kincheloe; one brother and his family, John and Merrilee Ahola Sr. of Lansing, and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Beatrice

golf.

He is survived by three sons and their families, Lynn and Mary Patrick of Traverse City, Michael and Diane Patrick and Robert and Marva Patrick, all of Cedarville; eight grandchildren and their families, Sean Curtis Patrick, Kurt and Tanya Patrick, Jared Patrick, Nathan Patrick, Dillon and Stacy Patrick, Alyssa and Andy Vallier, Julie and Carl McCready Jr., and Scott Graul, and seven great-grandchildren, Darian Patrick, Hazel Vallier, Kayla Patrick, Heather Patrick, Brian Patrick, Alex McCready, and Chase McCready.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Joan; four brothers, Raymond, Thomas, Marshall, and Nyle Patrick, and two sisters, Adelaide Baker and Genevieve Taylor.

A memorial will be Saturday, December 5, at 11 a.m. at Hessel Presbyterian Church.

Memorials may be directed to Cedar Cove, P.O. Box 580, Cedarville, Michigan 49719.

Reamer Galer Funeral Home in Pickford is assisting the family with arrangements.



Roy Ahola

Polaczyk and Gladys Smith.

Services were Monday, November 30, at Reamer Galer Funeral Home in Pickford. Visitation was from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., with a funeral at 1 p.m.

Burial will be in Kinross Township Lakeview Cemetery. John Keith, Russell Keith, Temple Laux Jr., Kenny Ahola, John Ahola Jr., and Raymond Donnal were pallbearers.

OBITUARIES

Dr. Robert Berry Sr.

Dr. Robert Walter Berry, Sr., 81, of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, passed away Saturday, November 28, 2009, at St. Luke's Hospice House in Bethlehem.

He was born October 27, 1928, in Atlanta, Georgia, to Milton and Lannes Berry.

He received a Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry from Clemson College in South Carolina, where he was awarded the Norris Medal for the most outstanding student in the class of 1950. Following graduation, he served as a First Lieutenant in the U.S. Army Chemical Corps. After his honorable discharge, he earned a doctorate degree in inorganic chemistry at Michigan State University.

At the university, he met Colleen Rudd, and they were married June 16, 1954.

After graduation, Dr. Berry was hired by Bell Telephone Laboratories in New Jersey, where he worked developing passive electrical components. He became active in the development of thin films, a crucial step to the development of the modern computer industry. He

edited and co-authored the publication of one of the premier works on the subject "Thin Film Technology," which was used as a textbook for well over a decade. He also holds multiple U.S. patents for component technology.

While working at Bell Laboratories, Dr. Berry moved to various locations, including Indianapolis, Indiana, where he directed groundbreaking work moving the integrated circuit technology for "touch tone" generation from the laboratory to volume manufacturing. This was key to replacing the rotary telephone with touch-tone buttons. The technology he worked on was used in everything from the basic telephone to the Titan missile. Dr. Berry rose to the level of department head and became active in the development of optical components as copper transmission was being phased out. He retired in 1987, and following retirement, kept in close contact with many of his former co-workers and friends.

Dr. Berry was active in the First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem, where he served as both a deacon

and an elder. He held leadership positions in the Monocacy Creek Watershed Association, as well as Burnside Plantation. He had many hobbies, including an interest in antique clocks, automated musical instruments, and antique cars and boats. He was an excellent craftsman in rebuilding and maintaining them, friends said.

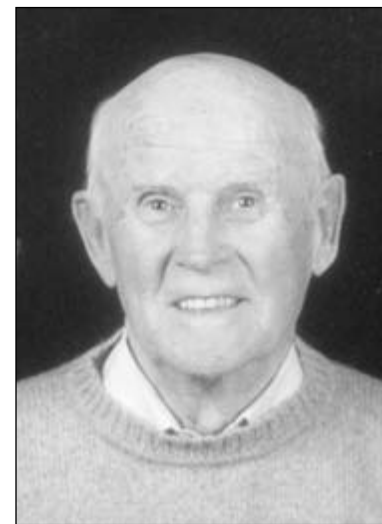
Dr. Berry is survived by his wife; one daughter and her family, Elizabeth and Rick Helman of Bethlehem; one son and his family, Robert and Carolyn Berry Jr. of Round Rock, Texas; four grandchildren, Robert and Edward Helman of Bethlehem, and Meghan and Todd Berry of Round Rock.

Services will be Saturday, December 5, at 2 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Bethlehem.

Memorial contributions may be made to First Presbyterian Church, 2344 Center Street, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania 18017 and the First Union Church, P.O. Box 426, Cedarville, Michigan 49719.

Long Funeral Home of Bethlehem is assisting the family with arrangements.

Edwin 'Mark' Tominack



Edwin Tominack

Edwin "Mark" Tominack, 86, of DeTour Village, died Saturday, November 28, 2009, at his home.

He was born October 2, 1923, in Goetzville to Mike and Blanche (nee Denelski) Tominack.

Mr. Tominack attended school in Goetzville and DeTour and served in the United States Army Office of Strategic Service in England and France during World War II.

He married Pauline LaPoint July 20, 1949, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in DeTour.

Mr. Tominack worked at Drummond Dolomite Quarry for 30 years, retiring in 1984.

He was a member of the Sacred Heart Church, the Bender-Johnson Amvets Post #79 in Raber, and the Elks Lodge #552 in Sault Ste. Marie.

He enjoyed reading and spending time with his grandson, Nathan Loveless of Eaton Rapids.

He loved snowmobiling and he

grandson, Mr. Tominack is survived by a daughter and her family, Nancy and James Gloden of Crystal; four sisters and their families, Anna Prevost of Clinton Township, Georgene and Roy Mion of Gibsonia, Pennsylvania, Jackie and Wilbert Wojnarowski of Gaylord, and Sharon and Larry Russell of Lansing; a brother and his family, Ron and Velma Benson of Harbor Springs, and nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a sister, Virginia Wojnarowski, and two brothers, Dan Tominack and Jack Benson.

Visitation will be Wednesday, December 2, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in DeTour Village, with Mass of Christian Burial at 1 p.m.

Burial will be in Maple Grove Cemetery in DeTour Township.

Reamer Galer Funeral Home in Pickford is assisting the family with arrangements.

and Mrs. Tominack owned a cabin on St. Joseph Island, Canada, where they spent much of the winter for nearly 30 years. The couple also enjoyed dancing at area Polka Festivals.

In addition to his wife and

Kenneth Krygier

Kenneth J. Krygier, 58, of DeTour Village, died Tuesday, November 24, 2009, at Northern Michigan Regional Hospital in Petoskey, following a short illness.

He was born October 10, 1951, in Bay City.

Mr. Krygier lived in Bay City for many years, and also lived in Bellaire, where he was a building inspector and active in the fire department. He also lived in Houghton Lake and was an active fireman, as well as in Rapid City. Mr. Krygier lived in DeTour for the past five years and worked for St. Ignace Do-

It Center as a construction manager.

He attended St. Florence Catholic Church in DeTour Village.

He is survived by a son, Sean Krygier of DeTour Village; two stepsons, Joseph Wysocki of Houghton Lake and Chad Wysocki of Flint; one stepdaughter, Heather Weber of Florida.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Leonard and Mary Krygier.

No services are planned at this time.

Dodson Funeral Home in St. Ignace is assisting the family with arrangements.

Holiday Extravaganza!

Music Department Concert
Elementary through High School Performers

Monday, December 7th

Prelude 6:15 p.m. • Concert 6:30 p.m.

LaSalle High School Gymnasium, St. Ignace

Prelude:

Community Steel Band

Featuring:

6th Grade, Junior High & High School Concert Bands

Youth & Children's Chorus

St. Ignace Jazz & Steel Bands

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Admission: Students \$1⁰⁰ • Adults \$2⁰⁰ • Family \$5⁰⁰

Holiday Discs Will Be Available!

This disc is a combination of Tempered Steel (Adult Steel Drum Band), Saints of Steel (High School Steel Drum Band), Squirts of Steel (Junior High Steel Drum Band)

Includes 12 Tracks of a variety of holiday tunes and is the first of a multi-volume collection of holiday tunes!

Holiday
Open House
Thursday, December 10
6 to 8 p.m.

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Two Locations!!

St. Ignace
Tuesday, December 8
7:00 p.m.
Little Bear East
275 Marquette St.

Cedarville
Wednesday, December 9
7:00 p.m.
Clark Township Hall
207 N. Blindline Rd.

For more information please contact
EUP Regional Planning at
(906) 635-1581 or e-mail to eupregion@att.net



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December 5-6
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- DeTour Botanical Gardens
- Village of DeTour
- DeTour Friends of the Library

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Sunday, Dec. 6th
Noon - 4 p.m.
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Arts • Crafts • Jewelry • Books
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Something for Everyone!

SANTA Arrives at 1 p.m. until 3 p.m.

Girl Scouts will be collecting non-perishable food, paper and personal hygiene products for local pantry

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Noon to 3 p.m.

Visit From Santa!

Free Games **Free Cakewalk** **Free Food**

~ All Children Welcome ~

Sponsored by Keith Massaway, Pat Rickley, St. Ignace Tribal Elders, United Way, and the Soup and Fry Bread Benefit