TYLER RASANEN

Corporal Tyler James Rasanen, United States Marine Corp. is the son of James and Jodene Rasanen in Baraga. Tyler graduated from Baraga High School in 2012 and joined the United States Marine Corps in December of 2013, where he completed a 13-week rigorous boot camp training at Marine Corp Recruit Depot in San Diego, California and graduated in March of 2014. He then went on to infantry training Battalion at Camp Pendleton and trained as an anti-tank missile man, where he joined the 3/1 Battalion and deployed on the USS Essex, an amphibious warship, with the 15th Marine Expeditionary Unit, Hong Kong and various other reports. Tyler continued his Marine Corp training at Camp Pendleton and was promoted to Corporal in 2015. Afterward, he was deployed to Okinawa, Camp Fuji, and Korea for seven months with his unit and returned Stateside in May of 2017. Corporal Rasanen is now nearing the end of his four-year military commitment as it continues to be stationed at Camp Pendleton in 1st Marine regiment as squad leader. He will return home in December of 2017 to his family, son Zane Rasanen and Vanessa LeClaire, and continue with an education and law enforcement.

