

HARRY ARTHUR WHITCOMB

1908 - 1987

Harry A. Whitcomb, age 79, of Caseville, passed away unexpectedly Tuesday, June 9 at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.

He was born Feb. 15, 1908 in Red Wing, MN, son of the late Loren and Mary (Kulp) Whitcomb.

On May 19, 1933 he was united in marriage to Alma Wiese in Long Beach, CA. On April 13, 1956 he married Kathleen L. Burton. She preceded him in death May 1, 1978. Alma Whitcomb preceded him in death May 30, 1987.

Mr. Whitcomb served in the U.S. Navy from 1932-1953. He was a veteran of WWII, serving in the South Pacific. He was employed by Davis Dam Project in Bullhead City, AZ until retiring in 1971 and moving to the Caseville area in 1978.

He was a member of Caseville United Methodist Church, Caseville Rod and Gun Club, Caseville FOE No. 3690 and Fleet Reserve Association.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Lowell (Janet) Dufty of Caseville; two sons, Dennis of Lake Ann and James of Anchorage, AK; one step-daughter, Mrs. James (Nancy) Campbell of New York City, NY; nine grandchildren; six great-grandchildren;

Four brothers, James of Beaverton, OR, Patrick and Terrence, both of Portland, OR, and Robert of Vancouver, BC; six sisters, Mrs. Ruth Taylor of Livonia, Mrs. Carol Anderson of Minneapolis, MN, Mrs. Bettie Burns of Winston, OR, Mrs. Alys Hagen of Portland, Mrs. Bevelyn Henderson of Fresno, CA and Mrs. Genevieve Mauck of Fairview, OR.

One brother, Delmar Whitcomb, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 15 at 11 a.m. from the Caseville Chapel of the Champagne Funeral Chapels. Rev. John Hamilton, pastor of Caseville United Methodist Church, officiated with burial in the Caseville Cemetery.

Memorials may be given to the Sleeper State Park Outdoor Center.