

Merrill Joseph Mudd, 100, of Harbor Beach passed away May 5, 2012 at Harbor Beach Hospital. Born November 18, 1911 in Springfield Illinois, the son of William and Katherine Mudd. He and Virginia Law were united in marriage June 19th, 1937 in St. Theresa's church, Detroit. Merrill was a machinist at Michigan Tool for 45 years, working on some of the first computerized machine tools. He was a lifelong Detroit Tigers fan and an avid golfer. He and Virginia enjoyed camping, fishing, boating and playing cards with friends. Merrill was preceded in death by his siblings, Mary, Katherine, Margaret Ellen, Imelda, William and Robert. Merrill is survived by his sister Gloria Hedges, daughter Joyce Mudd of Laguna Woods, California, his grandchildren John Zunich, James Zunich, Jana Palmer and his great grandson Ian Zunich. Funeral Mass for Merrill will be Wednesday, May 9, 2012 at 11 am in Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic Church, with Fr. William Spencer officiating. Burial will follow in the OLLH Church Cemetery. Visitation for Merrill will be Tuesday from 6-9pm in the Ramsey Funeral Home of Harbor Beach. Visitation on Wednesday will be at the church beginning at 10 am until time of services at 11 am. A Parish Vigil Service will take place Tuesday at 7:30 pm in the funeral home