



# Gerald Simon

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## **Gerald Simon**

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**B**ig Rapids- Gerald Edward "Jerry" Simon 86, of Big Rapids, went to be with his Lord on Friday, December 2, 2016. He was born on April 18, 1930 in Millbrook, the son of Henry L. and Frances (Troy) Simon. Jerry was a skilled carpenter and cabinet maker. He was employed by the City of Big Rapids as street foreman, retiring in 1992. Jerry was a 4th degree life member of the Knights of Columbus. Jerry was a veteran of United States Army. He loved to square dance, play cards, hunt and fish. He is survived by one brother, Patrick (Sheral) Simon of Remus and one sister, Darlene Warner of Saginaw, plus numerous loving nieces and nephews. Jerry is preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Mary (Fitzgerald), plus nine brothers and sisters; John (Dorothy), Bernard (Doris), Francis (Marion), Jim , Herman (Margaret), Glen, Emil Joseph (Mary) Simon, Rosemary (Orin) Havens and Margaret (Michael) Stefano. A mass of Christian Burial will be 11:00a.m., Tuesday, December 6, 2016 at St. Mary Catholic Church in Big Rapids with Father Michael Burt celebrant. Visitation will be Monday from 4-7:00 p.m. at the Mohnke Funeral Home with Rosary being recited at 7:00 p.m. Interment will be at Mt. Carmel Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the St. Mary Catholic School.



## Tribute Wall

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AW

**Aleta Wensloff** posted:

To Jerry's Family. He was such a thoughtful gentleman. He will be missed. Aleta Wensloff

December 6 at 8:00 PM

EK

**Ed And Alice Karcher** posted:

Dear Pat, Darlene, and families, We were saddened to hear of Jerry's passing. He was such a gentle soul, and we're sure he will be missed by the whole family. Our thoughts are with you all.

December 4 at 8:00 PM

JB

**Joann Beechnau** posted:

Uncle Jerry will be missed by everyone who knew him. He was a true example of love, faith and stewardship to his church, family and friends. It has been an honor to have him as an uncle and Godfather. He is at peace with the Lord that he loved and served

December 3 at 8:00 PM

JU

**Julie** posted:

your family is in our prayers

December 3 at 8:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Gerald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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