



Kenneth H. Stange

October 26, 1928 - March 27, 2012

Kenneth H. Stange, 83, passed away peacefully at his home on Monday, March 26th under the wonderful care of Hospice of Lenawee.

He was born on October 26, 1928 to Hattie (Pruess) and Henry Stange in Adrian, Michigan. He married Bonny Brieschke at St. John's Lutheran Church on August 26, 1955. She survives. He lived in Lenawee County all his life except during the time he served in the Navy during WWII, from 1945-49. He was a member of Underwater Demolition Team 3.

He continued his love for the water by owning and operating Wolverine Diver's at Devil's Lake for many years. During this time, he also was a part of the Lenawee Sheriff's Department in search and rescue. He loved water skiing, swimming, ice skating and spending time with friends and family.

He is also survived by his daughter Candace, his grandson's Kenny and Kyle, his sister Lois Bonner, and his special caregivers, Jeanne Debruyen, Betty Deline and Abby Anstead.

Up until the last year, Ken was active at the YMCA of Lenawee County in paddleball and swimming. He truly enjoyed the great friendships he made there over the years. He was also an avid U of M sports fan. He especially loved U of M football and had attended a string of 287 consecutive home and away games over the years. He also enjoyed watching Kenny and Kyle play AAA hockey.

He retired from Parker Rust Proof in Morenci, was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, and was an active member in the UDT/Seal Association.

Graveside services for Ken will be held on Thursday, March 29, 2012, at 2:00 p.m. at Oakwood Cemetery with Pastor Joel Sarrault officiating and military honors conducted by the VFW Annis Fint Post #1584.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St John's Lutheran Church or Hospice of Lenawee. You may also send condolences to his family at www.WagleyFuneralHome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth H. Stange*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Bonnie,*

It is with sad hearts that LouLou and Doc Rlo send our sincerest condolences on the death of Ken, My SEAL brother.

He was a gentle kind giant of a man and was always happy when we visited you, your daughter and the twin brandsons.

He will be missed. May he rest in peace in the heaven with God and all his angels.

Please send me your email or snail mail address to us:

*E. Riojas and Lourdes Tolentino
4819 Meadowglen Dr.
Pearland TX. 77584*

Erasmio "Doc" Riojas - January 18, 2013 at 11:03 PM



“ *I appreciate all that Ken (Mr. Stange to me then) did for me when I was growing up in the house next door to him as a young girl. My memory is poor, but I seem to remember doing lots of water skiing under his supervision! :) I still love to ski and try to make it out at least once or twice a year with friends. Thanks for being a great neighbor and friend to my family. My parents, Dick and Helen, passed away many years ago both at age 70. I live in California with my husband Darrell and we have two boys...a freshmen in college and a senior in high school. I hope your family is doing well. May God give you His peace as you miss your loved one.*

Heidi Mackie (Tressler) - April 06, 2012 at 07:01 PM

HF

“ Candace:

Sorry for you loss. Visited with your dad not long ago in the Country Market parking lot.

*Harold Frederick
Former employee of YMCA*

Harold D. Farederick - March 31, 2012 at 11:15 AM

DS

“ *Bonny you are in our prays and we thank God that Ken is in the presence of the Lord and that God is with you to comfort you.*

Dessolee and Keith Smith - March 30, 2012 at 11:11 AM

DH

“ *Kenny was a hell-of-a-paddleball partner. I am honored to have had him as a friend, in and out of the court! He will truly be missed-denee*

denee hartung - March 28, 2012 at 01:01 PM

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“ *Kenneth Stange was a very devoted father and grandfather. He was a wonderful man, who I met while babysitting Kenny and Kyle. Kennth will be greatly missed by many. I am very happy to have met such a nice caring man. Love to Bonnie, Candi, Kenny and Kyle.*

Angie Medellin - March 28, 2012 at 09:32 AM

LS

“ *We are blessed to have known Ken and his family and will miss him very much. We will carry him in our hearts forever. Sonny and Leslie Salazar*

Leslie Salazar - March 27, 2012 at 01:52 PM