



Isaac C. "Ike" Vander Jagt

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Mr. Isaac Cornelius "Ike" Vander Jagt, age 93, passed away Sunday evening, July 25, 2010. He was born May 12, 1917 in Sullivan Twp., MI to John and Wilhelmina (Van Sluys) Vander Jagt. Ike was a decorated U.S. Army Veteran of WWII. He worked for Sealed Power Corporation for 34 years before retiring in 1979. On April 29, 1942 he married June Edna Perry in Monterey, CA at Fort Ord, and she preceded him in death on May 16, 2010 after 68 years of marriage. Mr. Vander Jagt was a devoted and active member of Word of Hope Church, where he served as an Elder, Deacon, pianist, and organist. He made DeColores En Cristo weekend 202, which profoundly impacted him. Ike was an inventor, enjoyed taking trips with his family, and liked to teach and share his experiences and knowledge with others. When he turned 50, he received his private pilot license and enjoyed taking people who had never flown before for rides. He was a member of the West Michigan Flying Club. Mr. Vander Jagt also spent 40 years researching and writing his book "Adam & Eve and Archeology", a book that links science with Christianity. SURVIVORS include 5 children, Penelope "Penny" Workman, Melody (Don) Stressman, Amber (Gregg) Garrow all of Muskegon, Holly (Mark) Goelz of Fennville, Ross (Angie) Vander Jagt of Fruitport; 20 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren, the last of which is his namesake, Isaac; 6 great-great-grandchildren; brother-in-law, Clarence (Nancy) Perry; sister-in-law, Annie Vander Jagt; former sister-in-law, Rosie Vander Jagt; and many nieces and nephews. He was also preceded in death by his son-in-law, Gene Workman; 2 grandchildren, Breanna Stressman and Gene Workman, Jr.; 6 brothers, Neil, Clarence, Gillis, Jim, Ed, and Leonard; and 2 sisters, Nellie and Avina. SERVICES will be 11:00 AM Thursday at Word of Hope Church (284 N. 3rd Ave., Fruitport) with Rev. John Koedyker and Rev. James Bos officiating. VISITATION with the family will be from 2-4 & 6-8 PM Wednesday at The Sytsema Chapel, Sytsema Funeral Homes, Inc. 737 Apple Ave. (231) 726-5210. Burial will take place in Fruitport



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Cemetery. MEMORIALS to the Word of Hope Church Sunday School Scholarship Fund or the Alzheimer's Association will be appreciated.



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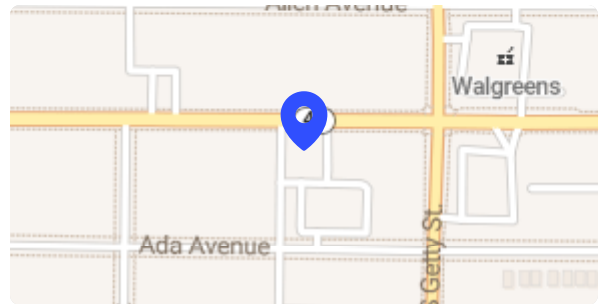
Visitation

Wednesday, July 28, 2010

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services - The Sytsema Chapel

737 E. Apple Ave., Muskegon MI 49442



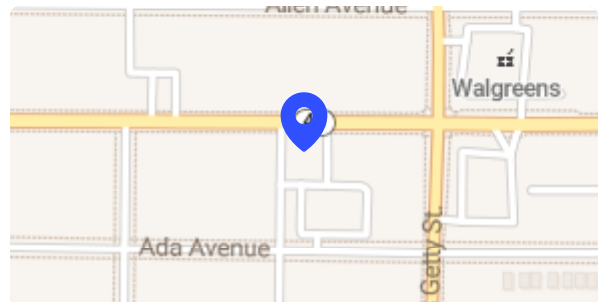
Visitation

Wednesday, July 28, 2010

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

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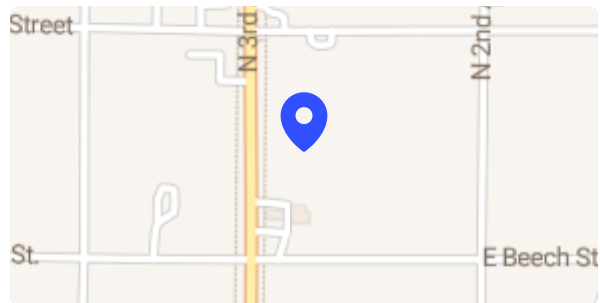
Service

Thursday, July 29, 2010

11:00 AM ET

Word of Hope Church

284 N. 3rd Ave., Fruitport MI





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Anonymous posted:

we are sorry to hear of ike's passing away. we were good friends with the family and also members at word of hope church. ike will be missed along with his wife june. our prayers are with the family.##imported-begin##chuck & sue Lue ##imported-end##

August 14 at 5:39 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Family,My sincere condolences to your family. You may not remember me, but I was the neighbor across the street from you on Hile Rd..(gradeschool). I know the pain of loss, since my mom, Arlene, just passed away last week as well. My dad, Vern, is still living on Hile Rd (in another house), and has Alzh. I am so sorry for your loss. I remember swimming in the pool and having sleep overs, and us kids making forts and always playing. Your family is in my prayers during this difficult time. May His peace be with you, God Bless. Jane##imported-begin##Jane (Meeuwenberg) Lund##imported-end##

August 2 at 8:47 AM



Anonymous posted:

well I never had the opportunity to meet mr and mrs vanderjagt, but I feel that I do know them somewhat through thier son ross.Ross talked of his parents frequently and he had alot of good things to say about his parents which I found interesting and I really enjoyed the stories.I do know that both his parents were very good people because of the beliefs and ways of thier son ross.they will be greatly missed and I do look forward to more stories of thier adventures in the future.##imported-begin##mike thompson##imported-end##

July 29 at 4:41 AM



Anonymous posted:

My sincere condolences to the family at this difficult time. My late husband, Marty & I, had many nice evenings of Square dancing, with Ike & June, at Hi-Nabors Square Dance Club. We also attended their 50th Wedding Anniversary Party. So many lovely memories.Fran Carlson##imported-begin##FRANCES L. CARLSON##imported-end##

July 28 at 11:00 AM



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Anonymous posted:

We know that this time comes for all of us. It just seems hard at the time. But, with time the pain eases a bit. We have not been able to see Aunt June and Uncle Ike for several years. So we still see them in our mind as they were about 30 years ago. They say 'time marches on', but it seems to 'fly by'. Thank you Penny for reaching out and contacting us. Lakeport, CA ##imported-begin## Lucille and Richard (Dick) Vander Jagt ##imported-end##

July 27 at 7:46 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Isaac C. "Ike" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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