



Leo A. Braun

June 24, 1926 - May 12, 2019

Leo Arthur Braun, age 92, of Port Hope, died peacefully at home surrounded by his family on Sunday May 12, 2019.

Leo was born in Harbor Beach on June 24, 1926, son of the late Robert and Mary (Hessling) Braun. He married Virginia Plester in Detroit on October 9, 1948. She preceded him in death on October 31, 2011.

Leo served in the U.S. Army during WWII. He enjoyed farming all his life. He was a member of the Tip of the Thumb Square Dancers and the Port Hope AmVets. He also served as president of the school board of the Jericho School. He was an avid woodworker who also enjoyed playing Euchre, Skip Bo and Rummy.

Leo is survived by his children – Judy (Fred) Abeel, Stephen (Marilyn) Braun, Laura (Brent) Bender, Jean Essenmacher (special friend, Kirk Pettit), Russell (Laura) Braun, Peggy (Dan) Buby and Paul (Julie) Braun.

Thirty four grandchildren, fifty eight great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Special friend – Marci Keel.

Brother – Earl (Shirley) Braun.

Sister-in-law - Wilma Braun.

Brother-in-law – Robert Tschirhart.

Leo was also preceded in death by:

Daughter-in-law – Patricia Braun.

Great-grandson – Jacob Badik.

Brothers – Clarence (Lorraine) Braun and Robert Braun.

Sisters – Magdelyn Tschirhart, Margaret (Carl) Swenson and Gladys (Joe) Cardamone.

Brother-in-law – Harold (Eunice) Plester.

Sisters-in-law – Lucille (Les) Burnette and Evelyn (Tony) Pszczolkowski.

The family would like to extend a very special thank you to Compassus Hospice nurses Meg and Carley and his special caregivers, Kelly, Mary, Sherry and Kim

Memorials may be offered to Huron County Right to Life, St. Jude's Children's Hospital or Sacred Heart Food Pantry.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Wednesday, May 15, 2019 at 11 am at St. Hubert Parish-St. Joseph Catholic Church of Rapson. Officiating will be Fr. Rob Howe. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Friends may call for visitation on Tuesday, May 14, 2019 from 1 -8 pm at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe or Wednesday at the church from 10 am until the service time at 11 am. A scripture service will be offered on Tuesday at the funeral home at 7 pm.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Church Cemetery

Rapson, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 14. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kaufman & Co. Funeral Home, Inc.
84 Westland Dr
Bad Axe, MI 48413
(989) 269-3000
kaufmanfuneralhome@gmail.com

Scripture Service

MAY 14. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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Visitation

MAY 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Hubert Parish-St. Joseph Catholic Church
3455 Rapson Rd.
Rapson, MI

Funeral Mass

MAY 15. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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3455 Rapson Rd.
Rapson, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Leo A. Braun*

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Julie - May 14, 2019 at 07:05 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Leo A. Braun.*



May 14, 2019 at 08:35 AM



“ *Dale And Pam Woodke lit a candle in memory of Leo A. Braun*



Dale and Pam Woodke - May 13, 2019 at 10:49 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Leo A. Braun.*



May 13, 2019 at 05:33 PM



“ *Pat, Becky, Jon, Lynette, Dale, Annette, Ken, Sandy purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Leo A. Braun.*



Pat, Becky, Jon, Lynette, Dale, Annette, Ken, Sandy - May 13, 2019 at 02:21 PM