



Norman Renas

November 4, 1929 - August 26, 2011

Norman Donald Renas

KELLER -- Norman Renas, 81, passed away Friday August 26, 2011. He was born in Detroit, Michigan, November 4, 1929. Norman proudly served his country in the US Navy. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather and brother who will be missed by all who knew him. A private family service will be held. Survivors: wife, Marie K. Renas; children, Donald N. Renas and Tracy M. Farmer; six grandchildren and many other family members and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and his brothers, Frederick Krug, Edward Renas, Leonard Renas; and sister, Eleanor Krug.

Tribute Wall

PK

“ You are (and always were) a wonderful uncle, Uncle Norm. Uncle Norm, Aunt Marie, Don, and Tracy were always so genuinely warm and happy to us when we had a chance to visit. I am so sorry we haven't gotten a chance to see you in Texas (or that much in Costa Mesa for that matter - we realize so much more now how time is precious). I will always have fond memories of you, Uncle Norm and I love you very, very much.

Paul Krug - October 01, 2011 at 08:57 AM

SR

“ I was so sorry to hear of Norm's passing. When Norm and Marie left California for Texas three years ago (seems more like months not years) I was sad they were leaving but so happy for them that they were able to find a beautiful new home close to their daughter and 3 of their grand children. The Renas' were one of the first families we met after my husband and I moved to Orange County, CA thirty plus years ago and in all of the years since, I do not know of a more strong, giving and loving family. My heart and prayers go out to Marie, Don, Tracy and their families.

“Death leaves a heartache no one can heal. Love leaves a memory no one can steal.”

May the love you shared linger in your hearts forever and guide you along life's journey.

Love, Alan & Sherry Reece

Sherry Reece - September 26, 2011 at 07:00 PM

CW

“ I remember Norm's kindness when Marie, Sherry, Alice, and I would get together at Christmas time for our "Christmas Lunch" at one of our homes. Norm would "clear out" for the day, allowing us to have our girl time and then when he would return, was always so gracious in taking our pictures together-(what a way to see how we have grown "better" with age)and visiting with us for a few minutes. Family was everything to him and is to Marie. He is certainly missed.

Celia Wight - September 11, 2011 at 09:19 PM

JM

“ Marie - I was so sorry to hear of Norm's passing. I didn't know he was ill. You and your family have my deepest sympathy at this time. You are definitely in my heart and prayers. Love, Jaylene

Jaylene McLaughlan - September 10, 2011 at 10:24 PM

LA

“ I greatly enjoyed Norm for his light cheerful attitude both at work and socially. I missed him at lunch when you moved to Texas. I always felt more comfortable with Norm around. Take care Marie, love Lou & Jo Avila.

Louis J. Avila - September 05, 2011 at 07:26 AM

PK

“ Michael and I wish to express our deepest most heartfelt condolence at this most difficult time of loss. We pray that God give you the strength to move forward and to celebrate the life of Uncle norm. We always looked forward to your visits back to Michigan to reconnect and catch up on what everyone was doing. Uncle Norm will be missed by all who knew and loved him. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Pattie and Mike Kieltyka - September 04, 2011 at 09:00 AM

NK

“ My favorite time with Norm was when he was so competitive playing penucle that he would make me chuckle when he would get mad at you Marie. Our saturday nights were wonderful with the kids in their pagamas and us playing cards. Wonderful days. A very good man Norm... you will be missed.
Love, Nadia

Nadia Krug - September 02, 2011 at 10:36 PM

KK

“ I will always remember and cherish the summers when my Uncle Norm, Aunt Marie, Don and Tracy would come to Michigan and stay with us at our home here in Garden City. I love you Uncle Norm and you will be missed so much.

Kelly Renas Kerwin - September 02, 2011 at 07:40 PM

CR

“ Getting the call that Uncle Norm & Aunt Marie were coming to Michigan & Uncle Norm asking if we were still able to get kielbasa so he could take it home with him to California & Texas. Oh and lets not forget ketchup on his eggs in the morning. R.I.P. Uncle Norm with all our love from Michigan.

Cory Renas-Miller - September 02, 2011 at 06:21 PM

RO

“ The memories I have of Norm are vague because I was so young. But even by hearing my mothers thoughts I know he was a wonderful man. Marie we are so very sorry for your loss as well the children. As you said to me I am here if you need anything. Love you Rox

Roxanne - September 02, 2011 at 03:41 PM

SM

“ I know Norm and Marie through my sister who was married to his nephew Jim Krug. He was always sweet and a happy person, I will miss him and my prayers go out to Marie, Donny and Tracey and their families.

Sonia Rayes Mendoza - September 02, 2011 at 12:43 AM

JK

“ When I arrived in California in 1962, Uncle Norm and Aunt Marie were the only family I could turn to. They were a tremendous help to this 19 year old kid, who just moved 3000 miles away from his parents home. Uncle Norm (and Aunt Marie) were always there in case I needed anything. For this they have my undying love and affection.

Jim Krug - September 01, 2011 at 02:15 PM

BI

“ Really liked my Uncle Norm. He was funny and I got a kick out of a lot of things he would come up with. I didn't get to see him very often since he lived in California and then in Texas and I live in Colorado, but he was a great guy and I'll miss him.

Bill - September 01, 2011 at 01:58 PM

HW

“ *My sympathy and my prayers to my "Best Friends " family. The pleasent memories I have of our 70+ years of friendship will never be forgotten. I will sorely miss him and am sorry I can't be there to to say my farewell. Marie, if I can help in some small way, feel free to call on me. Love,
Hank*

Hank Wohlfeil - September 01, 2011 at 01:46 PM

BF

“ *We remember Norm as our daughter-in-law's father. We've spent lots of time with Norm and Marie, both in Caifornia and Texas. Our prayers and condolences to Marie, Don and Tracy*

Bob & Carol Farmr - September 01, 2011 at 12:11 PM

KM

“ *Although I didn't see Norm or Marie very much, I remember the event of my Grandma El's funeral when the whole family came from around the country. We got stuck in Canon City, CO due to a big blizzard that shut down highways and closed the airports. We all spent a lot of time remeniscing about the past and I recall being so impressed with how active Norm was and amazed that he played tennis regularly. It was the most time I'd spent with him and Freddy and will always remember it fondly. Norm is in God's hands now, and is free of pain. Bless you Marie - may God comfort you.*

Karen Murray - September 01, 2011 at 11:44 AM