



## Henry Swieczkowski

January 23, 1924 - March 1, 2012

Henry Swieczkowski, 88, of Shelby Township, passed away peacefully at his daughter's home in Macomb, MI, on Thur., March 1, 2012. Both Henry and his wife of 49 yrs, Ann, were longtime residents of Algonac, MI, and Fort Meyers, FL. Henry was a retired Grand Trunk Railroad switchman for 36 years, prior to that he served in the European and Pacific Theatres with the Merchant Marines during WW II and before that served with the Civilian Conservation Corps plantings trees in northern MI. He was predeceased by his wife, Ann Swieczkowski, his daughter Lynn Swieczkowski Shaffner; and his siblings, Leo Swieczkowski, Virginia Kilgour Thomson, and Alexander Swieczkowski. He is survived by his children, LeAnn Swieczkowski and her partner Kathy Connolly of Charlotte NC; Lynn Smiscik and her husband Paul of Macomb MI; and his stepson, Lonnie R. Chester Sr and his wife Susan of Warren MI; his sister-in-law Julie Swieczkowski of Cedar Park, TX and his grandchildren including Julie Walczak and husband Mike of Macomb MI; Nick and Ann Smiscik of Macomb MI; Lonnie Chester, Jr. and wife Christina of Shelby Township, Tonya Starr and husband Darrell of Fayetteville NC; Aaron Shaffner and his wife Kelly of Galveston TX and Matthew Shaffner of Houston TX and numerous nieces and nephews. He is also survived by 3 great-grandchildren. He will be remembered for his many interests including Boatman of Algonac, Selfridge NG Airfield Senior Golf League, Shelby Township Senior Center billiards and card shark, Lotto Club President and Keno player, and woodworker. He passed away after a short illness and will always be an

inspiration to those who knew and loved him. In leau of flowers, donations in Henry Swieczkowski's memory, can be sent to: Seasons Hospice and Palliative Care, 27355 John R Road, Madison Heights, MI 48071-3701, 248-561-8049.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Leann, I was so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing . I remember him fondly. My prayers will be with you during this difficult time.*###imported-begin###*Elise Roy*###imported-end##

March 17, 2012 at 11:10 AM



“ *Dear Leann...we are so grateful to have you in our lives...you are a wonderful living legacy that honors Hank's life. Much love, Kerrie and Karen*###imported-begin###*Karen Mosteller*###imported-end##

March 05, 2012 at 03:48 PM



“ *LeAnn, It is a special memory of both of us, I'm sure, that your dad enjoyed your violin playing. Others in your family have probably also enjoyed comments he made. Best wishes to all of your family and friends, I know that you have wonderful memories to help keep him close to you in your hearts. Love,*  
*Julia*###imported-begin###*Julia Westendorf*###imported-end##

March 05, 2012 at 02:48 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our prayers.*

*Heather Sansoni (prentis)*

*Teri Ann Prentis*

*Nancy Aiuto (prentis)*###imported-begin###*Heather Sansoni*###imported-end##

March 05, 2012 at 12:01 PM



“ LeAnn - I am SO glad to meet your Dad and have the opportunity to play golf with him. He was great!##imported-begin##Linnea Nichols##imported-end##

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March 05, 2012 at 09:23 AM



“ Dear LeAnn,  
I am so sorry to hear about your Dad passing away. I know u w/miss him alot. Thank you for letting us know. Our thoughts are w/you & Kathy & your family.

Hope u both r doing well.

Sincerely,

Bernie & Linda Wegener##imported-begin##linda wegener##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 09:18 PM



“ Leann  
Liz and I extend our condolences to you and your family. We met your father just once but it is obvious that he loved you and loved life. Thinking about you.

iris and liz##imported-begin##iris cekovich##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 09:06 PM



“ LeAnn - this is never easy. Sorry we are not there to support you. Sounds like your Dad was a great guy.

LeAnn - Judy does not have a computer so I have shared this with her and she sends her sympathy.

Barry##imported-begin##Barry k. Jenkins##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 07:42 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Hank's death. I am so glad we had the pleasure of meeting him when he was in Charlotte. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family.##imported-begin##Fan Watson##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 04:52 PM



“ Our sympathy to LeAnn and the family.##imported-begin##Sam and Lorilee Phillips##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 04:07 PM



“ Leann, I am so sorry to hear of your father's death. Please know that you are in my thoughts. I know how close you were to him and that his passing will leave a void in your life. The many adventures you had together will be warm memories to carry forward.##imported-begin##Linda King##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 03:57 PM



“ I am sorry to learn of your father's death. I know how very hard it is to lose a parent. Thinking of you with much sympathy and care.  
Jill###imported-begin##Jill Criswell###imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 03:23 PM



“ May Hank rest in peace in God's arms. What a wonderful man. I only knew him for a short time but enjoyed the time we had on the Golf course.##imported-begin##Patricia Lunden##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 12:20 PM



“ Love you, Dad. I had the best father ever in you.##imported-begin##LeAnn Swieczkowski##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 11:11 AM