



Thomas A. Stevens

September 4, 1925 - September 12, 2006

He immigrated to the US in 1930. Volunteering for the military, he served in World War II, in the US Army (23rd infantry regiment 2nd Division) and was involved in the Ardennes Campaign and Rhineland Campaign as a rifleman. He was awarded the Purple Heart Ribbon.

Thomas received his undergraduate degree from Eastern Michigan University and completed his graduate studies at Wayne State University in Education.

He was an educator with the Detroit Public Schools and Harper Woods Secondary Education, where he taught science and coached various athletics such as football and swimming.

He was an amateur golfer and for several years was a member of the Michigan Publinx Golf Association.

He was an avid duck and pheasant hunter and fisherman. He enjoyed his granddaughters very much.

He was a member of the Disabled American Veterans and the Military Order of the Purple Heart.

He is survived by his wife; Rita, son Todd (Laura) Stevens and Granddaughters; Elizabeth Ann and Claire Marie. He was predeceased by his

parents; George Burley Stevens and Bertha Tarrington-Stevens.

Previous Events

Service

SEP **16.** 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Hubert Catholic Church
38775 Prentiss
Harrison Township, Mi

Tribute Wall



“ Dear Aunt Rita: Uncle Tom will be sincerely missed by myself and my children. We love you both alot and we have been praying for you both these last few months. Now that he is now at rest he would want you to relax and take care of yourself. We are all just a phone call away if you need us.

Our prayers and love are always with you!##imported-begin##Donna Kapuscinski##imported-end##

September 17, 2006 at 11:48 PM



“ I was reading the obituaries and saw Mr.Stevens name. He was my ninth grade science teacher at Harper Woods in 1966-67. I just wanted to say he was one of my favorite teachers and I enjoyed his class and all his great stories.My deepest sympathy.

Gail Benoit##imported-begin##gail kemp benoit##imported-end##

September 15, 2006 at 07:20 PM



“ Rita:

Barb and I are so saddened to hear of your loss. If there is anything we can do...please let us know. We would like you to come down and spend some time with us in Florida. Our doors will always be open to you and yours. Maybe a change of scenery will help you get over some of the pain. May God bless.

Ron and Barb Gurta##imported-begin##Ron Gurta##imported-end##

September 14, 2006 at 04:55 PM



“ *What wonderful memories of all of Tom's stories. He was a master! I know that he and Fred had hours and hours of good times together in the duck blind and pheasant field and I was lucky enough to have joined in a few of them. His was a life well lived and he brought joy to many. My sympathy to Rita and all the family. He will be missed*##imported-begin##Pat Woodstock##imported-end##

September 14, 2006 at 07:45 AM