



## Frank Charles Nickel

April 16, 1933 - February 15, 2010

Age 76 of Blaine, died February 15, 2010. Survived by his wife of 53 years, Marlene (Ruhr); daughters, Terri Wendt and Diane Dubej; grandchildren, Julie & Michelle Wendt and Taylor & Kaleb Dubej; siblings, Marcele Cook, Cleone Clobes, LeRoy (Shirley) Nickel and Della (John) Larson. US Navy Veteran. Frank enjoyed fishing with his grandchildren. He will be remembered for his warm, gentle spirit and smile. Mass of Christian Burial 11AM Thursday, Feb. 18 (visitation begins at 10AM) at ST JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH, 835 2nd Ave NW, New Brighton. Interment St. John's Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall

AW

“ Dear Marlene,  
Terri, Diane, grandchildren and siblings and relatives and friends.  
Your loss is immense. Frank will be missed dearly by our Wiggins family. He was a dear and close friend of John and I and we shared many a Anniversary celebration and shared in their 50th which seems like yesterday. We saw your joy and celebration as a family while you were neighbors on Brighton Lane.  
We were fortunate to have you as babysitters Terri and Diane. It was so nice to see your families and realize the gems you were to your husband and Dad through his life and your support and love you offered him. Heavens gain is surely yours and our loss. May God hold you and rock you gently in the palm of his hands as you release your grief. Our Love and prayers. The Wiggins and families.

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**Ann Wiggins** - February 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GT

“ My deepest sympathy to you and your family at this very difficult time. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

*Georgiana King*

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**Georgiana Tiedeman-King** - February 18, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ You know our prayers have been with you and Frank and your family, Marlene, throughout Frank's illness. We grew to love you both through these past few years and will continue to pray for you. Frank was an inspiration to everyone around him. We loved his sense of humor and warm smile of understanding. He definitely will be missed. But until we see him again, he is safe in the arms of Jesus.

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**Dean & Mary Althaus** - February 18, 2010 at 12:00 AM

YB

“ *Marlene, I am so sorry for what you have gone through. But you have to remember all the good times you had and take comfort in the fact that he is finally at peace. Vonnie*

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**Yvonne Blodgett** - February 17, 2010 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ *Marlene, our sympathy to you, Terri, Diane and Grandchildren. We have many memories of the hundreds of miles we traveled with you and Frank, Ireland, Nova Scotia, many trips to the East Coast. We will miss these travels with you and Frank but hope to continue traveling with you. You are family and we love you and the girls. God be with you*

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**Wayne/Marvel Murphey** - February 17, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ *Frank Charles Nickel*

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**shirley.miller scroggins** - February 17, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ *Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers. May God be there to comfort you all as you adjust to Frank moving on to be with our Lord.*

*Love to All!*

*Paula & Shelby Fowler and Cortney (Fowler) Watterson*

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**Paula Fowler** - February 17, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Dearest Marlene and Family,

*We knew it was just a matter of time, but we are still very, very sad to lose our very dear friend Frank. We loved him and you and will treasure all of our good times together. Our prayers remain with you all. Much love, Peggy and Jerry*

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**Jerry and Peggy Renk** - February 17, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ Marlene and family - our Christian sympathies to you as you mourn Frank's leaving and going to a better place. Our prayers are with you. I am Shirley's friend, and we met at Shirley and Noble's reception. God Bless you and your family.

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**Marlene and Werner Gebhard** - February 17, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ Dear Marlene - How long ago and so short a time. Those special months in Hawaii are forever burned in our hearts and we share your grief at this difficult time. Please know that our prayers are with you and your family. Love, Sally and Ron

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**Sally and Ron Hadinger** - February 17, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ So very sorry to hear of Frank's death of last nite.& that it happened..on our 52nd Wedding Anniversary...I will be able to come hopefully with Cindy but I don't think Rollie will able to be there..he tooo is very feeble at this time..Frank is finally after a hard struggle..at PEACE with the Lord & all our other Relatives & Friends..OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO YOU ALL...MAY HE REST IN PEACE..AMEN...  
LOVE TO ALL!..  
MARGE/ROLLIE & FAMILIES

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**Marge Pabst** - February 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM