



## Mr. Joseph Martinez

September 2, 1933 - May 21, 2015

Joseph Martinez, age 81, of New Baltimore, passed away on May 21, 2015. He was born on September 2, 1933, in Detroit, to the late Joseph and Maria DeJesus Martinez. He married Theresa Ann Signorile on April 7, 1956, in Chicago. She preceded him in death on July 8, 2009.

He retired from the U.S. Navy, after 20 years of service and was a government employee for 20 years. He was a loving father, grandfather, great grandfather, brother and uncle. He will be missed by many.

He is survived by his children; Cindy (Don) Venson of Tawas, Annette Holmes of New Haven, Marianna (Lary) Hurst of Chesterfield and Joseph (Kimberly) Martinez III, of New Baltimore, 9 grandchildren; Don Venson Jr., John (Jessica) Stevens, Robert Holmes, Theresa Holmes, Cheyanna Weakland, Maia Martinez, Anthony Martinez, Nico Martinez and Michael Martinez, 6 great grandchildren, siblings; Richard Martinez, Mike (Tess) Martinez, Robert (Judy) Martinez, David (Sheila) Martinez, Linda Slayton and Sylvia LaSure, along with several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by two brothers and a sister.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, May 27, 2015 at 11:00am in the Jowett Funeral Home – 57737 Gratiot, New Haven. Pastor Todd Evans will officiate. Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery, in New Baltimore. Visiting will be Tuesday, May 26, 2015 from 1:00pm – 8:00pm, and again on Wednesday, from 10:00 am until time of service at 11:00am, in the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be: Don Venson Jr., John Stevens, Robert Holmes, Anthony

Martinez, Nico Martinez and Michael Martinez.

Memorial tributes can be made to the wishes of the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

New Baltimore, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 26.** 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Our deepest sympathy to Joe, Kim, Maia, Anthony, Nico, Mikey and the rest of the Martinez family.  
Love, Eileen, Cristina, Gabi and Skyler

Eileen Eckert - May 24, 2015 at 12:25 PM

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We were sad to hear the loss of Joe Martinez Sr. He was a rare man, who considered his family his true wealth. This world will be less without him. Our deepest sympathy to Cindy, Annette, Marianne, Joe Jr, and all the extended family. My fondest memories are his stories, his smile, and his laughter.  
He will truly missed by all that had the honor to know an amazing man.

Eduard & Deborah Edwards &family

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