



To the Never Forgotten Honor Flight Committee:

Please accept this donation in honor of our father, Clare Tomlinson, to sponsor another veteran on another Honor Flight. Dad was lucky enough to go on the Honor Flight on May 7, 2012 and enjoyed it very much and highly recommended it to other vets. When approached about going on the flight he was a little hesitant at first but later he accepted the opportunity and when he returned he couldn't stop talking about the trip and all of the memorials he got to see in Washington, DC.

We certainly hope that our donation of \$500.00 will bring joy and excitement to another vet to relive their military experience.

My father lived between Marshfield and Stevens Point all of his life after returning from the service, so therefore, we request that this donation be used for a veteran from one of these communities or any of the villages in Wood or Portage County to go on the Honor Flight in the future.

Sincerely,

Children:

Sue Uher

Ron Tomlinson

Roger Tomlinson

Shirley Clausen

Carol Haffenbredl

Kathy Mrozinski

Tim Tomlinson

Lee Tomlinson

## Tomlinson, Clare D.

Clare Daniel Tomlinson, 88, Stevens Point passed away peacefully, surrounded by family members, on Sunday morning, November 22, 2015 at North Haven Assisted Living Facility.



Mass of Christian Burial will be held 10:30am Saturday, November 28, 2015 at St. Kilian's Catholic Church in Blenker with Fr. Jesse Burrish officiating. Burial will be at St. Kilian's Cemetery with his grandchildren serving as pallbearers. Military rites will be conducted at the cemetery by the American Legion Post 468 of Milladore.

Visitation will be from 4:00 to 8:00 pm Friday at Martens/Rembs Funeral Home, Junction City and from 9:00 am until the time of service at the church Saturday.

Clare was born July 13, 1927 in Charlotte, Michigan to Jesse and Edith (Short) Tomlinson. He attended school in Michigan. He proudly served our country by joining the Navy and serving from 1944 - 1947 in the South Pacific. Clare was employed at Consoweld Paper Mill in Wisconsin Rapids where he met the love of his life - Lucille Koller. Clare and Lucille were joined in matrimony on September 11, 1951. Clare spent his years raising his family, farming, and numerous jobs including working at the Auburndale State Bank, driving truck for Asphalt Products, Green Arrow, and Roehl Transport to support his family. After retiring from driving truck he drove the grader for the Town of Sherry - maintaining the roads and keeping them clear of snow.

Clare and Lucille enjoyed much of their married life on the farm in Sherry. In retirement they moved to their home on Maywood Avenue in Marshfield, and later were moved to the North Crest Assisted Living Facility in Stevens Point due to Lu-

cille's Alzheimers.

Clare is survived by his loving children, Sue (Jerry) Uher of Stevens Point, Ron (Mary) Tomlinson of Arpin, Roger (Sherri) Tomlinson of Sherry, Shirley (Mark Fieseler) Clausen of Eyota, MN, Carol (Paul) Haffenbredl of Auburndale, Kathy Mrozinski of Milladore, Tim Tomlinson of Colorado Spring, CO, and Lee (Jolene) Tomlinson of Ashland. "Grandpa T." will also be greatly missed by his 26 grandkids and 23 great-grandkids.

Clare is also survived by his sister Yvonne (Ted) Hageness of Arbor Vitae.

Throughout his life, Clare enjoyed camping, hunting, fishing, traveling, taking care of his yard, reading, family gatherings, and spending time with his kids, grandkids, and great-grandkids. A few years ago he was allowed the chance to go on the "Honor Flight", which was a great honor and he vastly enjoyed.

Clare was pre-deceased by his greatest love, his wife Lucille in May 2013, his parents, daughter Sally, his sister Violet Litty, and his brother Jesse Tomlinson.

The family would like to thank North Haven Homes and Ministry Hospice for the care that they gave to both mom & dad.

In lieu of flowers a memorial will be established at a later date.

Condolences may be sent online to [www.rembsfh.com](http://www.rembsfh.com)



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Accept this donation of \$500.00 from the family of Clare Tomlinson to send another vet on an Honor Flight.

Thanks,

Sue Uher  
3625 Gray Log Lane  
Stevens Point, WI 54482