



## Donald Baker

January 14, 1928 - January 10, 2006

Donald Baker -- ChebanseA memorial service for Donald W. "Don" Baker, 77, of Chebanse, will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Chebanse Church of Christ. Rev. Connie Moodie will officiate. Cremation rites have been accorded by the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Crematory, west Kankakee. Burial, with military rites by the Clifton VFW Post 2131, will be in Evergreen Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Chebanse Church of Christ. He died Tuesday (Jan. 10, 2006) at Provena St. Mary's Hospital, Kankakee. Mr. Baker retired from Valspar in 1992 as a resin coordinator after 40 years of service. He was born Jan. 14, 1928, in Ollie, Iowa, the son of Chester and Mamie Breon Baker. He served in the U.S. Army from 1946-1949 and was a lifetime member of the Clifton VFW Post 2131. He was a friend of the United Church of Christ in Chebanse. He was a member of the Iroquois Historical Society and the Chebanse Recreation Center. He enjoyed fishing, playing cards, farming and gardening. Surviving are his wife, the former Foy Bradley, whom he married in 1983 in Iowa; one son, Daren Baker of Essex; two stepsons and stepdaughters-in-law, Richard and Sandra Blanchette of Kankakee, Michael and Lisa Blanchette of Crescent City; one sister, Helen Baze of Kankakee; nine grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Deceased are two brothers, two sisters and one stepdaughter.

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“ *Daren and Family:<br><br>My thoughts and prayers go out to you. Your dad always had a smile for me. I fondly remember going to your old house on Rt. 113 and playing with your big fat cat when I was little. I'm sorry I am unable to make it to the services. Mom and Dad are in Florida and will not be able to be there either. Sorry for your lost.<br><br><br><br>Susan Lecuyer and Family##imported-begin##Susan Lecuyer##imported-end##*

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“ Foy -- our prayers and sympathy are with you and your family.  
<br><br><br>Sorry, we did not learn of Don's passing until recently.  
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