



Delmar Conrad

November 22, 1919 - February 16, 2007

Delmar Conrad -- Kankakee Delmar Dale Conrad, 87, of Kankakee, died Friday (Feb. 16, 2007) at his home. Visitation will be from noon Sunday until the 1 p.m. funeral services at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee. Rev. Allen Dace will officiate. Inurnment will be in Danforth Cemetery in May. Memorials may be made to Diabetes Research or to the family. Mr. Conrad was born in Danforth on Nov. 22, 1919, the son of Frank and Evangeline (Wolgast) Conrad. He graduated from Gilman Community High School in 1939. He served in World War II from February 1942 until he was honorably discharged as a corporal from the United States Army Air Corps in September 1945. He returned to Danforth where he married his first wife, the former Wanda Lee Swival, on March 7, 1946, who died on Nov. 17, 1974. He worked for his brother Ervin for several years in the trucking business. He then was employed at A.O. Smith as a technician in the Process Lab. He retired from there in 1981 after 30 years of service. He enjoyed sports, reading, working in the yard and spending time with his grandchildren, stepgrandchildren and his great-grandson. Surviving are his wife, the former Nathalie Langlois (Mueller), of Kankakee, whom he married on Oct. 22, 1977; two daughters and sons-in-law, Cindy and Larry Groh of Oak Brook, Carol and Harry Runner of Bourbonnais; two stepsons and daughters-in-law, Lee and Claudette Mathieu of Naperville, David and Migdalia Langlois of Milwaukee; four grandchildren, Christopher and Eric Groh of Oak Brook, Katie Spila (Tim) and Rebecca Bisailon of Champaign,; stepgrandchildren, Emily Wendt

(Travis) of Summerville, S.C., and Laura Mathieu of Naperville; and great-grandson, Nathaniel Spila. He is also survived by stepgrandchildren, Keith, Craig, Brian, Brad and Eric Runner and their wives and children. He is also survived by two sisters, Mary Lou Constantine (Jim) of Florida and Barbara Dillsworth (Norm) of Arizona; and one brother, Wilbur of Watseka. Deceased are three brothers, Ervin, Merle and James.

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“ I have many happy memories from Delmar's barbershop visits.
i¿½We always had a great time when he came in for a haircut.
i¿½Nice gentleman.

Fondly,

Nick Africano

Africanos Barber Shop###imported-begin##Nick & Shirley
Africano###imported-end##

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“ Cindy and Carol, Mom told me of your Dads passing and I just wanted to express my sincere sympathy to you both and to your families. My folks and yours folks i¿½friendship went back a long time, and I can still remember how much fun they always had when they were together. Great memories for us all. Once again our condolences to all. Sincerely, Linda###imported-begin##Linda Goldenstein Raymond###imported-end##

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“ Dear Nat, I was so sorry to read in today's Daily Journal that you have lost your lifetime companion. Please know you are in our prayers in this time of grief for you and your family.

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“ Nat, Carol, Cindy and grandchildren, we extend our deepest sympathy in the loss of Uncle Delmar. Sorry we are unable to attend the memorial. Hope to see all of you sometime after we are back in Illinois.

Dave & Joyce###imported-begin##David & Joyce Conrad###imported-end##

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To Comfort you in your loss. May the

memories you cherish give you strength

at this difficult time.

We are old friends from our first years we were married in Danforth. Would like to know where you girls are and

what you are doing . God bless you all.

Tom and Alverda###imported-begin##Tom & Alverda Voigt###imported-end##

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“ Cindy and Carol,

We were sorry to hear of Delmar's passing. We hope that pleasant memories of your Dad provide comfort at this time.

We were remembering the fun times we had at your home in Danforth - with the two of you and Jeanne, Linda and me. We'd play in the family room while the adults visited. Dad and Delmar enjoyed some baseball games and fun times in high school. so glad that we visited at the Danforth Sesquicentennial. Take care.

Deb, Dale##imported-begin##Dale Goldenstein, Deb Preisser##imported-end##

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