



## Joseph Ouellette

March 7, 1926 - April 12, 2009

Joseph V. Ouellette, 83, of Kankakee, died Sunday (April 12, 2009) at Kindred Lake Shore Hospital. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais, where funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday. Private burial will be in Beaver Creek Cemetery, Papineau. Memorials may be made to the family wishes. Mr. Ouellette worked at Kankakee Roper for many years. He was born March 7, 1926, in Aroma Park, the son of Conrad and Julia Denault Ouellette. His wife, the former Frances Nichols, whom he married March 9, 1954, in Kankakee, died June 4, 1994. He was of the Catholic faith. He served in the U.S. Navy at Pearl Harbor during World War II. He enjoyed playing bingo, cards, sitting at Bird Park and tinkering with his car. Surviving are six children, Gerald "Jerry" Ouellette of Phoenix, Ariz., Pamela Phillips (Richard) of Hennepin, Okla., Sandy Matuszewski (Mark) and Cynthia Simmons (Tom), both of DuQuoin, William Ouellette (Vicki) of Bradley, Elizabeth Osmus (Tony) of Middleton, Idaho; 16 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren; one sister, Emelda Bertrand of Kankakee; one brother-in-law, Robert Beland of Bourbonnais; four brothers, Gerald Ouellette (Shirley) of Bourbonnais, Leon Ouellette (Karen) of Chebanse, Norman Ouellette of Pontiac, Delbert Ouellette (Flo) of Virginia; and special friend, Eloise Tippie of Kankakee. Deceased are one son, Joseph V. Ouellette Jr.; and one sister, Geneva Beland.

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