



## Leslie L. Regnier

August 23, 1921 - August 12, 2011

Visitation for Leslie L. Regnier, 89, of Herscher, formerly of Manteno, will be from 1 p.m. Wednesday until the 2 p.m. funeral service at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee. The Rev. Jack McCormick will officiate.

Burial will be in Prairie Dell Cemetery, Iroquois. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley. He died Friday (Aug. 12, 2011) at Provena St. Mary's Hospital, Kankakee.

Mr. Regnier was an employee of Uarco Business Forms in Watseka, retiring after 30 years of service. He was born Aug. 23, 1921, in Martinton, the son of Henry and Cora LaReau Regnier. His wife, the former June H. Harris, whom he married Sept. 15, 1943, in Iroquois, died July 8, 2010. He was a member of the Manteno Church of the Nazarene. He served as mayor of Iroquois from 1973 to 1982. He also served as a board member in Iroquois. He was a trustee for the Concord Fire Protection District from 1980 to 1997 and Concord Township supervisor from 1983 to 1988. He was a volunteer fireman. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving from Aug. 10, 1942 to Jan. 17, 1946. He belonged to the American Legion in Manteno and the VFW in Iroquois.

Surviving are one daughter and son-in-law, Pam R. and Fred Prestinario, of Herscher; three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, nine brothers and one sister.

# Cemetery Details

## Prairie Dell Cemetery

Iroquois, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 17. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home  
1480 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-1214  
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## Funeral Service

AUG 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

JE

“ *Such a cute, sweet little man, enjoyed him @ HarvestView so much.*  
*jackie Eberle*

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**Jackie Eberle** - August 17, 2011 at 10:07 AM

RB

“ *Richard Baron - related to the Regnier family. Worked with his younger brother Jimmy Regnier at GNB. Peace goes out to the family.*

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**Richard Baron** - August 16, 2011 at 04:17 PM

JS

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Les and I were friends through the fire department and at Uarco. James R. Schultz "Blackie"*

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**James R. Schultz** - August 15, 2011 at 09:47 PM

RP

“ I was saddened to learn the passing of Les Regnier, the most wonderful man I have ever met. He, June and Pam were neighbors in Iroquois when I was growing up. Les and June were "unlucky" enough to be appointed in charge of me when my parents were out of town a few times. Les never said an unkind word to me and always spoke and treated me as he did when greeting anyone and everyone. Les and June came to tour Washington DC after I had only been in Washington a few years. I drove them around in their car an afternoon, evening and possibly a second day (I'm not certain). Les never saw me after that time, more than 40 years ago, that he didn't bring up that visit. It was my pleasure to be with these two wonderful people who are now joined in Heaven. God bless you Les!

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**Ronald Pew** - August 15, 2011 at 05:39 PM

JF

*My thoughts and prayers are with you Pam and your family. Your father was the sweetest man. Your parents hold a special place in my heart, I loved getting to know.*

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**Jackie Frechette** - August 20, 2011 at 06:30 AM