



Robert C. Cassady

September 8, 1922 - February 10, 2012

Robert C. Cassady, 89, of Bourbonnais, died Friday (Feb. 10, 2012) at Provena St. Mary's Hospital, Kankakee. Visitation will be from 10:30 a.m. Tuesday until the noon funeral services at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

Interment will be in All Saints Cemetery, Bourbonnais. Memorials may be made in Robert's name to the Disabled American Veterans.

Mr. Cassady worked for Bennett Industries, St. Anne Foundry, and as a traffic manager for Crown Cork & Seal Co. He also worked with his brother-in-law, Walter Spivey, selling real estate over the years. He was born Sept. 8, 1922, in Franklin, Ky., the son of Herscher and Lena Vance Cassady. His wife, the former Mary Ellen Wolfe, whom he married March 1, 1941, preceded him in death March 30, 2010. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving as a staff sergeant and medic from October 1944 to March of 1946. He earned two Overseas Service Bars, the Asiatic Pacific Campaign medal with one Bronze Battle Star, the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with one Bronze Star, the Good Conduct Medal, the World War II Victory Medal and the Meritorious Unit Award. He enjoyed traveling, riding his motorcycle and playing horseshoes.

Surviving are one son, Gary R. Cassady and Peggy Robbins, of Watseka; one daughter and son-in-law, Joyce E. and Tom Harris, of Bourbonnais; five

grandchildren, Kelly (Joe) Barsi, of Macomb, Mary Anne (Eric) Johnson, of Kankakee, Patty (Joel) Schwark, and Steve Cassady, both of Herscher, and Robert (Vicki) Cassady, of Kankakee; 11 great-grandchildren, Sarah, Sam, Grant, Dean, Derek, Steven Jr., Trent, Collin, Brenden, Chloe and Trevor; two great-great-grandchildren, Jackson Ira and David Henry; and three brothers-in-law, Dale Culbertson, of Bradley, Harold Wolfe, of Peoria, and Robert Wolfe, of Mesa, Ariz.

He was preceded in death by two grandchildren, Gary R. Cassady Jr. and infant, Timothy Harris; one great-granddaughter, Alexandria; two sisters, Ruby Culbertson and Margie (Bill) Sleppy, and his parents.

Memorials may be made to the Disabled Veterans - www.dav.org/

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

1839 W. Route 102
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-2342

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 14. 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
295 Main St., NW
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Funeral Service

FEB 14. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“*Bruce & Janet Blake lit a candle in memory of Robert C. Cassady*”



Bruce & Janet Blake - March 09, 2012 at 03:24 PM

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“*Mary Ann and Family, We're very sorry to hear about your Grandfather. We know you and your family will miss him very much. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time.*”

Kathy and Bill Wagner

Kathy Wagner - February 14, 2012 at 08:20 AM

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“*Tom, Joyce, & Family. We're so very sorry about the loss of your Dad, Joyce. He was a great guy, and will surely be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*”



John & Karen Leutloff

Karen Leutloff - February 14, 2012 at 07:00 AM