



Robert B. Heeger

October 14, 1922 - September 13, 2013

Robert B. Heeger, 90 of Bourbonnais died Friday, September 13, 2013 at his home. He was born October 14, 1922 the son of John and Gertrude Schmackers Heeger. Robert married Madonna O. Rivard May 14, 1949 at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church in Kankakee. He was a 1941 graduate of St. Patrick High School in Kankakee. He attended Southern Illinois University in Carbondale where he earned a civil engineering training degree. He worked at AO Smith for 42 years and retired from the El Paso, Texas location. Bob served as a United States Army Corporal during WWII. He was part of the 777th Air Material Squadron, served in the European-African Middle Eastern Theatre, served in Italy and Africa, and was also the recipient of the purple heart. He was a member of the St. George American Legion Post 1164 and a member of the Vintage Squadron. Robert was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley. He enjoyed sports including bowling, golf, and tennis. Surviving are his wife, Madonna Heeger of Bourbonnais; one son and daughter-in-law, Gregory & Darlene Heeger of Sicklerville, NJ; three grandchildren, Christina Heeger of Indianapolis, IN, Nadine & Aaron Enders of Mt. Royal, NJ, and Jacqueline & Gavin Jennings of Manchester, MD; and one brother, Joseph & Maybelle Heeger of Pinellas Park, FL. He is preceded in death by his parents; four sisters, Mary Louise Marcotte, Florence Lewe, Mildred Genotte, and Rita Ostrowski; and one son, John J. Heeger. Cremation Rites have been accorded. A memorial visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the 10:30 a.m. memorial service on Tuesday, September 17, 2013 at

Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Deacon Leon Fritz will officiate the service. Inurnment will follow at All Saints Mausoleum in Bourbonnais. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley or for masses at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

SEP 17. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *I'll miss you Uncle Bob, I love you!*
Becky

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