



## Rudolph Frenzke

September 13, 1926 - April 1, 2010

Rudolph A. "Rudy" Frenzke, 83, of St. Augustine, Fla., formerly of Kankakee, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family Thursday (April 1, 2010) at the Samantha Wilson Care Center. He was born in Kankakee and had lived there for most of his life, moving to St. Augustine in 2003. He served his country in the U.S. Army during World War II as a military policeman, paratrooper, truck driver and sharpshooter. For 30 years, he worked as a maintenance engineer for St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee and also worked in residential construction. He was a talented woodworker, who took pleasure in restoring antique furniture and upholstery. He and his wife, Elaine, enjoyed fishing, camping, swimming, gardening and traveling in their RV. He was a member of the United Methodist Church. Surviving are his wife, Elaine E. Frenzke of St. Augustine; two daughters, Marie Frenzke of Rochester, Minn., Diana Jacobs of St. Augustine; and two grandsons, Kyle and David. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. Wednesday until the 11 a.m. services at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee. Interment will follow at Kankakee Memorial Gardens, Aroma Township. In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory can be made to the American Cancer Society or to the Alzheimer's Association.

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“ For many years all of my family has considered the Frenzke family as part of our family. Our sincerest condolences go out to you..Elaine, Marie, and Diana. I personally will never forget what a kind man Rudy was. May he rest in peace. <br><br><br><br>Love to you all.....Jack###imported-begin###Jack Hampton###imported-end##

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“ Sorry to hear about "Uncle" Rudy's passing. I½I remember him as a great and funny guy and him, Elaine, and Mom and Dad were the best of friends. I½Mom had many stories about staying on the farm with the Riegels. I½I believe it was back in the 80s Mom and Dad were wanting to go to Hawaii and invited Elaine and Rudy to join them. I½No doubt that helped make the trip more enjoyable for them.<br><br><br><br>I hope the best for Rudy's family and have let Eva, Mary, and Tom know as well as forwarded the information from Dorothy Riegel to them.<br><br><br><br>God bless, you're in my thoughts and prayers at this challenging time.<br><br><br><br>Mike Hudock###imported-begin###Mike Hudock###imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathy. I½Worked with Rudy at Provena St Mary's for years. I½###imported-begin##Tom & Judy Andersen###imported-end##

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“ May God bring you peace in your sad time.###imported-begin##Mary (Otten) Thomson###imported-end##

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