



Charles E. Murray

May 5, 1927 - April 24, 2010

Charles E. Murray, 82 of Charleroi (Mapleview) passed away Saturday, April 24, 2010 in his home. A son of the late Charles E. and Emily Smeal Murray, he was born in Greensburg on May 5, 1927. He was a member of the Mon Valley Country Club, the V.F.W., American Legion and the Charleroi Elks Club. He retired as the general manager of the Authority of the Boro of Charleroi in 1992, and was a decorated veteran of World War # II where he earned a Purple Heart, a Silver Star and a Bronze Star. He was a D Day survivor and was recently awarded the rank of Chevalier from the French Foreign Legion. Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Faye E. Stewart Murray, one daughter and son-in-law, Kathleen and Joel Houser of Williamsport, one son and daughter-in-law, Chip and Laurie Murray of West Chester, one sister, Loretta Nelson of Conway, SC, three granddaughters, Justine Kilgour, Erin Breneman and Malorie Murray, one grandson, Alexander Murray and two great-grandsons, Logan and Sawyer Kilgour. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one sister, Patricia McCormick and two brothers, Lawrence and Joseph Murray. Friends will be received 7 to 8:30 P.M. Wednesday in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon, 724-929-5300, www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com. Funeral services will be in the funeral home Wednesday at 8:30 P.M. with Rev. David Zona officiating. Interment will be in Westmoreland County Memorial Park.