



## Howard L. 'Red' West

December 4, 1928 - September 30, 2013

Howard L. "Red" West, 84, of Belle Vernon, died in his home on Monday, September 30, 2013. A son of the late, Rev. Samuel E. and Alma G. Paulson West, he was born in East Liverpool, OH. A lifelong resident of Belle Vernon, he had attended the Char-Belle Free Methodist Church. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 59 years, Susan A. West, who passed away on April 13, 2009, and brothers, Paul, Oliver, Charlie and Bob West. Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Arthur and his wife Terry, of Palmetto, FL and Alan West and his wife Monica, of Morriston, FL, and a grandson, Arthur West, Jr. and his wife Debbie, of Altoona; two great-grandchildren, Coulton and Savannah West; siblings, Sarah Wilbraham of McDonald, Rev. James Ray West and his wife Betty of Normalville, Rev. David L. West and his wife Martha of Marion, Michigan, and Dorothy Williams of Star Junction, as well as many nieces and nephews. Howard retired from the railroad industry after 46 years of service. Friends will be received from 7-9 P.M. Tuesday and 2-4 and 7-9 P.M. Wednesday in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon. (724-929-5300) [www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com](http://www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com) Funeral services will be in the funeral home Thursday at 11 A.M. with Pastor Eugene H. Spear and Jean Ferguson co-officiating. Interment will follow in Belle Vernon Cemetery.