



Lawrence Moran

May 26, 1930 - June 25, 2009

Lawrence M. Moran, 79, of Belle Vernon (Fairhope) passed away in his home on Thursday, June 25, 2009. A son of the late Michael and Mary Oblak Moran, he was born in West Newton on May 26, 1930. A member of St. Sebastian Roman Catholic Church of Belle Vernon, he had been a resident of Fairhope since 1967. Lawrence was a U.S. Navy veteran of the Korean War and retired in 1974 from the Irvin Works of U.S. Steel Company. After his retirement, he was self employed as a landscaper and enjoyed watching his children and grandchildren play sports, as well as, landscaping around his own home. Survivors include his wife Geraldine Hawk Moran, with whom he celebrated 57 years of marriage on March 20, 2009, two daughters and one son-in-law, Romaine Moran of La Plata, MD and Tracey and Ronald Paugh, of Elkridge, MD, one sister, Amelia Dainty of Lowber, one brother, John Moran of West Newton and two grandchildren, Ronald Lawrence Paugh and Kayli Nicole Paugh. Friends will be received 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 P.M. Sunday in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 724-929-5300, 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon, www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com. A blessing service will be in the funeral home Monday at 10 A.M. with Rev. Lawrence Manchas officiating. Interment will follow in Belle Vernon Cemetery. The rosary will be prayed in the funeral home Sunday at 3 P.M. led by members of St. Sebastian Parish.