



## Leonard E. Byron

December 12, 1917 - April 1, 2006

Leonard E. Byron, 88, of Washington Twp. (Belle Vernon) died Saturday, April 1, 2006 in Jefferson Regional Medical Center. A son of the late Edward and Hazel Mentch Byron, he was born in Sankertown, PA on December 12, 1917. He was a member of the Greater Pittsburgh V8 Club, the Yough River Trail Organization of West Newton and the Belle Vernon Legion Bocci Club. Mr. Byron retired from the West Mifflin Fisher Body Plant in 1982. Survivors include his wife, Catherine Taylor Byron, 2 daughters, Wendy Byron Mellinger and husband Barry of Smithton and Susan Byron Priloh of Dunlevy, 3 sons, Douglas Byron and wife Shirley, of Fairhope, Kenneth Byron and wife Donah of Belle Vernon, Larry Byron and wife Margie of Youngstown, OH, 2 step-daughters, Mary (Trina) Trozzo and husband James of Stockdale, Gloria McDonough of Belle Vernon, 2 step-sons, Charles Haschets and wife Janice of West Newton and John Haschets and wife Pam of Washington and 2 sisters, Verna Kroeschel of McKeesport and Leta Byron Stormer of Duncansville, PA, a daughter-in-law, Nancy Byron of Belle Vernon, 25 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Robert Byron, 2 grandsons, Charles Bair and Michael Bair, a sister Lenora Griffith and a brother, Denny Byron. A memorial service will be held Monday, April 10, 2006 at 6:00 P.M. at the Primitive Camp Ground of Cedar Creek Park The Ferguson Funeral Home, Inc. and Cremation Service, a Golden Rule Member Firm, [www.fergusonfuneralhome.net](http://www.fergusonfuneralhome.net), (724-929-5300), 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon is handling

arrangements. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Yough River Trail Organization in his name.