



William E. Harvey

October 3, 1932 - April 5, 2009

William E. Harvey, 76, of Ruffsdale, formerly of Monessen, passed away peacefully with his family by his side on Sunday, April 5, 2009. A son of the late John and Wilma Hepple Harvey, he was born in Pricedale on October 3, 1932. He graduated with the class of 1950 from the Perryopolis High School, was a member of Epiphany of Our Lord Roman Catholic Church of Monessen and of the former St. Cajetan Holy Name Society. A Corporal in the U.S. Army during the Korean War, he was stationed in Greenland and retired in 1987 from the Monessen Plant of Wheeling Pittsburgh Steel Company where he worked as a rigger in the open hearth department. He was also employed as an inspector for the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission, retiring in 1994. He enjoyed fishing, gardening, vacationing in Ocean City and spending winters in Holiday, Florida. He was the loving husband of Josephine Manderino Harvey, to whom he was married for 54 years. Survivors, in addition to his wife include one son and daughter-in-law, John W. and Cindy Harvey of Hempfield Twp., one daughter and son-in-law, JoAnne and Mark Barclay of Herminie, four grandchildren, April and Melissa Harvey of Hempfield Twp. and Mitchell and Bridgette Barclay of Herminie, three sisters and one brother-in-law, Joyce Howard of Ohio, Donna Metts of Florida and Pearl and Edward Lyons of N. Belle Vernon, one brother and two sisters-in-law, Charles and Lucille Harvey of Rostraver Twp. and Betty Manderino of Monessen and numerous nieces and nephews. Family and friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 P.M. Tuesday in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 724-929-5300,

700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon, www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com. A blessing service will be Wednesday at 9:15 A.M. in the funeral home followed by a funeral mass at 10 A.M. in Epiphany of Our Lord R.C. Church. Interment will follow in Grandview Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions be made through the funeral home or family for the purchase of equipment needed at the hospice center.