



Carl D. Mitchell

January 14, 1921 - August 22, 2016

Carl D. Mitchell, a member of the Greatest Generation, passed from this world on August 22, 2016. He proudly served his country during WWII. While in the Army, he earned the World War II Victory Ribbon, the Good Conduct Medal, The American Theatre Ribbon and qualified as a Marksman on the rifle. After his time in the service ended, he moved to Texas where he met and married the love of his life, Leona MacFadden Mitchell. They married in June, 1946 and celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary this year. Carl was a retiree of US Steel and an active member of his church, the Jehovah Witnesses of Hobart, IN. He is survived by his beloved wife- Leona; his 2 granddaughters- Jerri Lambert of Crown Point, and Dawn (Mike) McIntyre of Nixa, MO; four great-grandchildren- Melissa Lambert, Brittany Clinton, Michael McIntyre and Erin McIntyre; two great-great grandchildren, Dakota Lambert and Zoey Clinton. Preceding him in death was his son- Jerry Mitchell of Portage, IN. Our grandfather was the most influential person in our lives. He was the most patient, kind-hearted family man. He taught his grand-daughters what a real gentleman should be and how a real man should care for his family. Because of him, we are the people we are today and we are forever grateful to have had him in our lives. He will be deeply and dearly missed by all who knew him, especially his family. There will be a private family service to be held at a later date. Burns Funeral Home, Crown Point entrusted with arrangements. www.burnsfuneral.com