



Jack F. Atkinson

August 8, 1928 - October 11, 2007

JACK F. ATKINSON, age 79 of Hobart, formerly of Merrillville and Elwood City, PA, passed away on Thursday, October 11, 2007. He was a retired Supervisor at U. S. Steel, Tubing Specialties and a former 32nd Degree Mason. He was a veteran of the U. S. Army, Korean Conflict. Jack was preceded in death by wives Ginni and Kathleen and grandson, Paul Kralis. He is survived by 4 stepdaughters – Sue Kralis (Bob Szeszycki) of Merrillville, Sally (Jim) Burns of Hobart, Kathy Vignolo of LOFS, and Connie Schleicher (Dennis Schaafsma) of Crown Point; grandchildren – Kelly Burns of Indianapolis, Brandon (Ashley) Vignolo of Newburgh, IN, Jimmy Burns of Crown Point, Christy Burns of Fishers, Blake Vignolo of Downers Grove, IL, and Eric Schaafsma of Crown Point. In accordance with Jack’s wishes, private family services were held. Contributions in Jack’s memory may be made to VNA Horton Hospice, 501 Marquette St., Valparaiso, IN 46383.

Tribute Wall



“ Dear Marilyn and family,
I'm so sorry for your loss. Tom was a great guy, and particularly nice to me when I was just hired at UConn as a junior faculty member. He made a difference in my career.
-- Leslie##imported-begin##Leslie Snyder##imported-end##

May 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ We will miss you Jack.##imported-begin##Dennis
Schaafsma##imported-end##

October 14, 2007 at 12:00 AM