



## Karl A. Schubert

April 19, 1928 - October 24, 2008

Karl A. Schubert, age 80 of Hobart passed away October 24, 2008 at his residence. He was born April 19, 1928 in Glumpenau, Germany to Marta and Alois Schubert. He married Maria Lais on September 26, 1953 in Stuttgart, Germany and together they immigrated to the United States in February of 1955. Karl was a painter by trade and retired from Orbeson Construction in 1984 and was a member of Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Merrillville since 1957. Karl loved to travel and in his later years traveled all over the world through the internet on his laptop computer. He was an accomplished oil and watercolor painter, an avid bird watcher and dabbled in poetry. He also always had a project he was creating in his workshop for his girls and loved spending time with his girls. Karl is survived by his loving wife Maria; daughters Virginia Perkins of Westville, IN and Kathleen and Darwin Klakoski of Portage Township; two granddaughters Leslie (Brandon) Simpson of Valparaiso and Ashley Klakoski of Portage Township; brother Alfons Schubert of Hobart and sister Elisabeth Schafer of Stuttgart, Germany. A Memorial Service will be on Tuesday, October 28, 2008 at 2 p.m. at the Burns Funeral Home, 701 E. 7th St., Hobart. Rev. Carole Poole, officiating. Cremation will precede the Memorial Service. Friends may visit with the family on Tuesday following the service until 7 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home (Hobart). In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.