



Richard J. Schafer

July 25, 1921 - November 10, 2007

Richard J. Schafer, age 86, of Crown Point, formerly of Schererville, passed away on Saturday, November 10, 2007. Richard was a member of St. Michael the Archangel Church. During the WW II years, Richard lived in San Diego, CA and worked for the Bank of America. He then joined the Royal Air Force, flying between San Diego and Sydney, Australia. After the war, Richard returned to Bank of America and upon returning to Indiana, he joined Gary National Bank, where he worked as Assistant Cashier at various branches. He retired from Gary National Bank/Gainer in 1983 after 34 years of service. Travel was his greatest interest in life and sampling food at various restaurants was a passion of his. He was preceded in death by his sister, Francis.

He is survived by his sister-Patricia and brother-Gregory, 15 nieces & nephews, several great-nieces and great-nephews and many friends. A Memorial Service for Richard will be held at a later date. Cremation at the Burns Funeral Home Crematory will precede the memorial service. Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN in charge of arrangements.