



## Sebastiano Abbate

July 1, 1926 - July 4, 2013

Sebastiano Abbate, of Portage, formerly a Schererville resident for 40 years, passed away Thursday July 4, 2013. He was a member of St Michael Catholic Church, Schererville and a retired employee of USS Steel Corp with 42 years of service. Mr Abbate also served his country in the United States Army from 1950 to 1956.

Sebastiano is preceeded in death by his loving wife of 58 years, Florence (2008), parents Paul & Josephine Abbate, and brother John Abbate. He is survived by his loving children, son Paul (Carol) Abbate, daughter Nadine (Andre) Pelagalli, beloved grandchildren, Matthew Abbate, Gina Pelagalli, & John Abbate; sister in law Phylis Abbate; brother in law John Popov; and many nieces and other relatives. Sebastiano will be fondly remembered and dearly missed.

Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, July 9, 2013 directly at 10:15 AM at St Michael Catholic Church, for a Mass of Christian burial, 1 W Wilhelm St Schererville, IN 46375 (just off of US 30) with Father Ted Mauch officiating. Interment Calumet Park Cemetery. Visitation will begin at 9:45 AM just prior to the Funeral Mass at the church. For further information please call Savich & Semplinski Funeral Directors at Burns Funeral Home (219) 769-0044