



William P. Rimer

April 2, 1918 - November 30, 2011

William P. Rimer, age 93, of Merrillville, IN passed away on November 30, 2011 after a short illness. Bill was a retired supervisor with U. S. Steel. He was a charter member and past Chief of Independence Hill (Merrillville) Fire Department. He was a "Gold Card" member of the Gary Sportsman Club and a charter member of First Presbyterian Church of Merrillville.

Bill was preceded in death by his wife, Mildred L. (nee Guntrum) Rimer and his daughter, Karin A. Rimer-Petrovich.

He is survived by 3 children, Patricia A. (Gary Bross) Rimer-Besser, Bonnie L. (Richard) Rimer-Bekelya, and son, William E. (Janice) Rimer; ten grandchildren and many great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be held on Monday, December 5, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. Rev. John Starr officiating. Interment at Calumet Park Cemetery in Merrillville, IN. Friends may visit with the family at Burns Funeral Home on Sunday from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. Merrillville Fire Department will hold Memorial service on Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Contributions may be made to St. Anthony Hospice, 203 Franciscan Drive, Crown Point, IN. www.burnsfuneral.com

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“ I am so sorry for your losing someone so dear to everyones heart. My prays and thoughts are with the family through the tough times.##imported-begin##Patricia Jaeger##imported-end##

December 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry to hear about \\\\"Grandpa\\\". He was always fun to be around and he always had a great sense of humor.##imported-begin##Angie Jurasevich##imported-end##

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“ I am so sorry to hear about your loss. I fondly remember the stories about your Dad and how he kept everyone on their toes. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this sad time.##imported-begin##Tamara Marler##imported-end##

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“ May your heart find healing in cherished memories and may your spirit find comfort in our thoughts and prayers. Your Pierce Family!##imported-begin##Pierce Middle School##imported-end##

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“ So sorry for the loss of you Dad. My prayers and thoughts for you and your family.##imported-begin##Laura Fries##imported-end##

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