



Engbert John "Hap" Terpstra

April 1, 1933 - May 4, 2011

Passed away Wednesday, May 4, 2011 at the age of 78. He was born April 1, 1933, to the late Joe Terpstra and Pietje Kleiterp Terpstra. He was preceded in death by his infant sister, Barbara Ann Terpstra; and his sister, Dorothy Terpstra Pence. He is survived by a daughter, April Terpstra; stepson, Gary McDemott; a sister, Florence Terpstra Nolting; several nieces and nephews; and former wife, Joyce Mackey. ♦Hap♦ served in the U.S. Army after high school, where he was a medic in the Korean War. He was a former dairy farmer, and then went on to sell dairy equipment. He was a member of the American Legion, and attended Pleasant Valley Church. ♦Hap♦ enjoyed playing croquet, ping pong, and taking long country drives. He was always the life of the party, his laugh was contagious. There will be no services. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Parkinson Disease Association, 135 Parkinson Avenue, Staten Island, NY, 10305 and/or Pleasant Valley Church, 9990 N. 700 E., Indianapolis, IN, 46259. Online condolences may be made at www.shirleybrothers.com. Arrangements entrusted to Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel.