



Ernest W. Baker

July 31, 1927 - May 22, 2007

Ernest W. Baker, 79, Indianapolis, passed away Tuesday, May 22, 2007. He was born July 31, 1927 in New Castle, IN to the late Ernest A. and Violet R. (Williamson) Baker. Ernest graduated from New Castle High School in 1945 and served in the U.S. Navy during WWII. He retired as a Pressman for the Indianapolis Star and News in 1989 after 41 years. He was a member of American Legion #0777, Aerie Eagles #211, Moose Lodge #17 and Ransburg YMCA. Visitation will be held Thursday, May 24 from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Irving Hill Chapel, 5377 E. Washington St., with funeral services Friday at 12 Noon. Ernest is survived by his loving wife, Doris J. Baker; children, Linda Carpenter, Barry Baker (Brenda), Vickie Trout (Steve); grandsons, Joseph Evans (Angie), Jason Evans (Trisha), Matthew Trout (Shawnda), Shawn Baker (Tara), Christopher Trout, Brian Baker; great-granddaughters, Adilyn Baker and Brooklynne Evans; and sister, Frances Wallace (Charles). He was preceded in death by his brothers, Robert and Charles Baker. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association.