



Frank Stephen Vukovits, Sr.

March 7, 1928 - December 16, 2012

84, of Indianapolis, passed away December 16, 2012. He was born March 7, 1928, in South Bend, IN, to the late Frank S. and Agnes Kacsits Vukovits. Frank served his country in the U.S. Army at Fort Eustis in Virginia, and received his Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering in 1950 from Purdue University. He married Jacqueline G. Dale April 30, 1966, and was employed as a Traffic Engineer for both the city of South Bend, IN, and the State of Indiana for almost 50 years, retiring in 2002. Upon his retirement Frank received the distinguished honorary award of Sagamore of the Wabash from Governor O'Bannon, recognizing his years of service to the State of Indiana. Frank was a member of St. Matthews Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus #3433, St. Albans Little League Board of Directors, and the Indianapolis Ski Club; he was also an adult volunteer with BSA Troop #133. Over the years Frank enjoyed playing softball and bowling with the St. Anthony teams in South Bend, trips with the ski club where he met his wife, traveling to ITE conferences, and in his later years vacations to Myrtle Beach and spending time with his grandchildren. Visitation will be Wednesday, December 19, 2012, from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel, 9900 Allisonville Rd. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Thursday at 10:00 a.m. at St. Matthews Catholic Church, 4100 E. 56th St., Indianapolis, IN 46220. Frank is survived by his wife of 46 years, Jacqueline G. Dale Vukovits; children, Frank S. Vukovits, Jr. (Ashley) and Tina D. Johnson (Randy); and four loving grandchildren, Stephen, Austin, Andrew and Morgan. A sister, Alma Jordanich, preceded him in death. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association and/or St. Matthews Catholic Church.