



John Richard McHaffey, Sr.

September 15, 1918 - February 21, 2008

John Richard McHaffey, Sr., Went to be with the Lord, February 21, 2008 at the home of his daughter, Kathy in Crawfordsville where he lived since June 2004. John was born September 15, 1918, son of John Walter and Lillian (Reimer) McHaffey. John married Thelma L. Burgess on March 9, 1941. John was a World War II veteran, serving in the US Navy. John worked 30 years for Schwitzer Corp., retiring January 13, 1984. Visitation will be held Monday, February 25 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St. with funeral services Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. Surviving are sons, John R, Jr. (Helen) and Orville E. (Jean) McHaffey; daughter, Kathy (Don) Owens; 8 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; sister, Mary K. Pratt; and several nieces and nephews. Mr. McHaffey is preceded in death by his wife, Thelma L. McHaffey; great-grandson, Courtland Owens; and sister, Eileen Martin.