



Joseph E. Rothrock

December 2, 1925 - March 24, 2008

Joseph Edgar Rothrock, 82, Indianapolis, passed away on March 24, 2008. He was born December 2, 1925 to Carl Jessie and Edna (Lawrence) Rothrock. Joseph graduated from Manual High School in 1944, and later attended Lane Business College. He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII and re-enlisted in the Naval Reserve in 1952. He was commissioned Chief Petty Officer ♦ Chief Commisaryman ♦ in 1963 and retired in 1985. Joseph retired from Mutual Pipe and Supply Company in 1995 where he was the Director of Purchasing. He was a member of Franklin Christian Church and the Murat Shrine. He was a lifetime member of Prospect Masonic Lodge, Murat Shrine Patrol, the Indianapolis Valley of Scottish Rite and the American Legion Post #348. Visitation will be Thursday, March 27, 2008 from 5:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. at the Shirley Brothers Thompson Road Chapel, 3333 E. Thompson Road. Funeral services will be Friday, March 28, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. Joseph is preceded in death by his first wife, Margaret Curren Rothrock; his parents; brother, Herman Carl Rothrock; step-brother William; and step-sister Mary Rothrock. He is survived by his wife, Betty McClintic Rothrock; brother, Paul Rothrock (Estelene); sister-in-law, Loretta Rothrock; brothers-in-law, Harry (Marilee), William (Rebecca) and Stephen McClintic. Memorial contributions may be made to Franklin Central Christian Church, 4100 S. Franklin Rd., Indianapolis, IN 46239 or your favorite charity.