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Werner Joseph Bruggeman

Age: 88

Entered into Rest: February 9, 2014

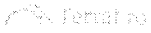
Visitation: Thursday 2:00 to 8:00 PM and Friday 9:00 to 9:45 AM at Gehret Funeral Home

Service: Friday, February 14, 2014, 10:30 AM St. John The Baptist Church, Maria Stein

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Werner J. Bruggeman, Age 88, of Erie Dr., Maria Stein, passed away of natural causes Sunday afternoon, February 9, 2014, at Celina Manor, in Celina, Ohio. He was born December 13, 1925, in Coldwater, Ohio, to the late Edward and Catherine (Buening) Bruggeman. On April 18, 1951, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in McCartyville, Werner married Dolores (Barhorst) Bruggeman who survives. Also surviving are eleven children: Gerald & Kathleen Bruggeman of Celina, Carol & Philip Borchers of Russia, Annette & Daniel Heyne of Coldwater, Marcia Neff of Fort Recovery, Nancy & David Unrast of Maria Stein, Anthony & Linda Bruggeman of New Bremen, Mark Bruggeman of Dayton. Angela & Edward Petty of Russia, Julia & Chad Kaiser of Fort Recovery, Beverly Bruggeman of New Bremen, Janel & Jeffrey Selhorst of Coldwater, 39 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren and 3 step grandchildren; five siblings: Velma & Leonard Dietz of St. Marys, Virginia Bruggeman of Portland, IN, Mary Pierron of Osgood, Howard & Marlene Bruggeman of Maria Stein, Larry & Becky Bruggeman of Maria Stein; sisters & brothers-in-law: Doris Bruggeman of Maria Stein, Kay Bruggeman of St. Marys, Clarissa Barhorst of Russia, Clarissa Brinkman of Missouri, Lavern Schmit of Celina, Joseph & Wilma Barhorst of Coldwater, Clarence Barhorst of Botkins, Marilyn & Ralph Meyer of Coldwater, Emily Subler of Versailles, Ivo Braun of Portland, IN, and Martha & Richard Subler of New Bremen. He was preceded in death by one son-in-law, David Neff;

four brothers, (twin) Virgil, Donald, (infants) Edward & Harold Bruggeman and one sister, Eileen Otting; brothers-in-law, Joseph Pierron, Kenneth Otting, Lavern Bruggeman and one sister-in-law, Mary Bruggeman. Werner retired in 1973 from Beatrice Foods in New Bremen where he had been employed 28 years; he had also worked 14 years at Borchers Poultry in Russia. He had been a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church. At his leisure, Werner enjoyed playing the guitar and harmonica, entertaining his grandchildren at family gatherings. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 AM, Friday, February 14, 2014, at St. John the Baptist Church in Maria Stein with Fr. Gene Schnipke presiding. Interment will follow at the church cemetery. Friends may call Thursday 2:00 to 8:00 PM and Friday 9:00 to 9:45 AM at Gehret Funeral Home in Fort Loramie. Memorials may be made to the charity of donor's choice. Condolences may be expressed at www.gehretfuneralhome.com

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