



Joseph L. Fortman

Joseph L. Fortman, 73, 4662 Cardo Road, died Monday at 2:15 a.m. at the Heritage Manor Nursing Home in Minster, where he had been a patient four months.

He was born November 23, 1907, in Minster, son of Frank and Elizabeth (Riethman) Fortman.

On October 31, 1953, he married the former Helen M. Brunswick in Newport.

She survives with a son, Donald of Newport; a stepson, Carl Brunswick of Versailles; a grandchild, six stepgrandchildren and three stepgreat-grandchildren; a brother, Anthony, and two sis-

ters, Mary Siegel and Alvina Fortman, all of Minster.

Mr. Fortman was a member of the St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Newport, and a retired carpenter. He was a World War II veteran, serving with the Army-Air Force in Europe.

The Rev. Lawrence R. Schindler will conduct services Thursday at 10:30 a.m. at the church. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Friends may call at the Hogenkamp Funeral Home, Minster, Wednesday from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. There will be a wake service Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. at the funeral home.