

Leo F. Goubeaux

Leo F. Goubeaux, age 91, of North Main Street, Fort Loramie, passed away of natural causes, Thursday afternoon, Feb. 10, 2011, at the Heritage Manor Nursing Center in Minster.



He was born Nov. 21, 1919, in Yorkshire, to the late Augustus and Josephine (Smith) Goubeaux.

On April 8, 1944, at Phoebus, Va., Leo married Mary Lou (Ernst) Goubeaux who survives.

Also surviving are six children and their spouses, De Dee and Ken Meyer of Jasper, Ga., Chuck Goubeaux of Fort Loramie, Kevin and Deb Goubeaux of Fort Loramie, Brenda and Mike Harris of Suwanee, Ga., Doug and Amy Goubeaux of Fort Loramie, Joyce and Larry Tebbe of Covington; 14 grandchildren: Janelle Riquez, Greg and Jason Meyer, Brian and Christopher Goubeaux, Renee Grieshop, Scott Goubeaux, Jesse and Rachel Harris, Jordon, Chelsea, and Tyler Tebbe, Hana and Abby Goubeaux; 12 great-grandchildren: Christopher Jr., Carlie, Sam, and Aydin Goubeaux, Alia and Jada Riquez, Anah, Ella, Kristina, Gage, and Erin Meyer, Caylor Eastman; two siblings, Marie Rosengarten Geary of Minster, Ruth Larger of Kettering; three sisters-in-law, Mary Goubeaux of Englewood, Anna Mae Ernst of Fort Loramie, and Katie Brechbill of San Jaun Capistrano, Calif.

He was also preceded in death by six siblings and their spouses, Winifred "Stan" Stanfill, Agnes and Otmer Bowman, Urcenia and Roy Mong, Gene and Marie Goubeaux, Bernard and Eleanor Goubeaux, and Bill Goubeaux.

Mr. Goubeaux served as a radar technician in the U.S. Marine Corps during WWII. He attended St. Michael Catholic Church and was the first lifetime member of the Fort Loramie American Legion Post 355. In 1995, Leo retired from Fort Loramie Home Appliance where he had been owner and operator for 50 years. Leo enjoyed family and friends, playing cards, and mowing grass.

Mass of Christian Burial was held on Wednesday, Feb. 16, 2011, at St. Michael Church in Fort Loramie with Rev. Steven Shoup presiding. Interment followed at St. Michael's Cemetery with full military honors.

Memorials may be made to the Fort Loramie Rescue Squad.

Private condolences may be expressed at <http://www.gehretfuneralhome.com>