Albert J. Quinter

Albert J. Quinter, age 89, of Glendale Drive, Troy, passed away of natural causes late Friday evening, Feb. 4, 2011, at St. Rita's Medical Center in Lima.

He was born April 5, 1921, at Cranberry Prairie to the late Joseph and Philomena (Huwer) Quinter. On June 1, 1946, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in

Dayton, Albert married Dorothy Mae (Schulte) Quinter who survives.



Also surviving are five children and spouses, George Quinter of Lake City, Tenn., Eileen and Nick Nolan of Troy, Rita and Harry Busse of West Milton, Fran and Jim Sheehan of Springboro, Mary Margaret and Bob Drumheller of Knoxville, Tenn.; 13 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren; five sib-

lings and spouses, Rudolph Quinter of Minster, Leona Pleiman of Fort Loramie, Edna Lampert of New Bremen, Pauline Kohler of Botkins, Maurice and Dorothy Quinter of Fort Loramie; a brother-in-law, Cletus Huelsman of Dayton and one sister-in-law, Mary Ann Quinter of Fort Loramie.

He had also been preceded in death by nine siblings, Dorothy Dresher, Henry Quinter, Rosella Osage, Henrietta Barlage, Adelina Huelsman, Loretta Huelsman, Stella Klikovits, Robert Quinter, and Anthony Quinter.

In 1971, Albert retired from Carrier Corp. of Dayton; formerly known as the Wiedke Tool Co. He was a mechanical tool engineer for the better part of a 40 year career that began with being the shop sweeper.

Al enjoyed playing cards, woodworking, floral and vegetable gardening. He was known for growing large and good tasting tomatoes. He was handy, as his grand-children often testified, "if grandpa can't fix it, it can't be fixed". Albert often spoke fondly of the Catholic training he received from Fr. Miller at St. Michael Catholic Church in Fort Loramie.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Feb. 10, 2011, at St. Michael Church in Fort Loramie with Rev. Steven Shoup presiding. Interment will follow at St. Michael's Cemetery.

Friends may call Wednesday 5 to 7 p.m. and Thursday 9 to 10 a.m. at Gehret Funeral Home, 64 Elm St., Fort Loramie.

Memorials may be made to charities of the donor's choice. Condolences may be expressed at www.gehret-funeralhome.com