

Seranus V. Seitz

Seranus V. "Si" Seitz, age 91, of Coldwater, died Sunday, June 22, 2008, at his residence in Coldwater.

He was born on Feb. 7, 1917, in Cranberry Prairie, to



the late John and Clara (Steinbrunner) Seitz.

He married Dolores Huelsman on June 15, 1946, at Holy Angels Church, in Dayton, and she survives.

He is also survived by his children: Shirley Seitz of West Milton, Vicki (Phil) Sims of Coldwater, Mary (Tony) Stammen of Coldwater, John (Ginny) Seitz of Celina, Cindy Walling

of West Milton and Jim Seitz of Atlanta, Ga., as well as nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. He also leaves behind a brother Jack (Betty) Seitz of Kettering, a sister Ginny Dixon of Houstonville, Ky., a brother-in-law Clarence Gels of Chicago, Ill., and two sisters-in-law, Buff Seitz of Dayton and Margie Seitz of Dayton.

He is preceded in death by sisters: Alma Gels, Helen (Derby) Harris and Esther (Boozie) Bir, as well as five brothers: Curly (Agnes) Seitz, Pete (Stella) Seitz, Bob Seitz, Luke Seitz and Art Seitz and a brother-in-law Eddie Dixon.

He was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Coldwater, VFW Post 5135, Fraternal Order of Eagles #3025, Coldwater American Legion Post 470, Knights of Columbus Council 1991 in Coldwater and a life member of the Mercer County Elks. He served as a captain in the U.S. Army Air Corp during WWII. He flew a P47 Mustang Fighter Plane in the European Theatre.

Si started his first business Buckeye Sheet Metal in New Carlisle, from 1946-47. In 1948, he founded Central Heating and Plumbing in Coldwater. Then he founded Central Soft Water and finally, Superior Water Service. He retired in 1997 at the age of 80.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Holy Trinity Catholic Church on Thursday, June 26, with the Rev. Dan Schmitmeyer officiating. Military Rites will be conducted at the cemetery.

Hogenkamp Funeral Home of Coldwater handled the arrangements.