



Edward Merton Sparks

June 25, 2004

Edward Merton “Sparky” Sparks died Friday, June 25, 2004 at the Chester River Hospital Center. He was 83.

Born October 31, 1920 in Wye Mills, MD, he was the son of the late Oscar and Bernice Evergram Sparks. He married his childhood sweetheart, Fannie Turner on June 22 1941. In 1943 he and his family moved to Baltimore, MD and he went to work for the Glenn L. Martin Company where he worked until his retirement in 1984.

He was a member of Orems United Methodist Church in Middle River, MD for many years before moving to Sudlersville. He was also a member of the Calvary- Asbury United Methodist Church in Sudlersville, MD, the Sudlersville Lions Club, Chesapeake Cavaliers Camping Club, the Marco Hunting and Fishing Club, the Essex Moose Lodge, and he was also a member of R.A.M.M.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Charlotte Sparks and Thelma Sparks Bradley and one grandchild, Scott Edward Frank.

Mr. Sparks is survived by his wife of 63 years, Fannie Turner Sparks of Sudlersville, MD; two daughters, Mary Frances Frank and her husband, K.A. “Butch” of Baltimore, MD and Edith Aitken and her husband, G. Douglas of

Oklahoma City, OK; two grandsons, Michael J. Frank and Charles A. Frank, both of Baltimore, MD; three brothers, Willard Sparks of Greensboro, MD, Kenneth O. Sparks of Centreville, MD and R. Alvin Sparks of Centreville, MD; one sister, Olive Plugge of Roberts, MD; one great grandson and many nieces and nephews.

Services will be held Wednesday, June 30, 2004 at 11am at the Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., 370 W. Cypress St., Millington, MD where friends may call Tuesday, June 29, 2004 from 7-9pm.

Interment will be held Thursday, July 1, 2004 at 11am, in Bel Air Memorial Gardens in Bel Air, MD.

Tribute Wall



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