



Emmett R. Kelly

March 22, 2008

Emmett Richard Kelly of Earleville, MD., died Saturday, March 22, 2008 at the Heartland Hospice House in Wilmington, DE. He was 86.

Emmett R. Kelly was born February 24, 1922 in Brooklyn, New York the son of the late Vincent Kelly and Claire Meyers Kelly. Mr. Kelly served his country in the United States Army and was a veteran of the Korean War. After receiving his masters degree Mr. Kelly went to work as a chemical engineer and retired from the New Jersey E.P.A. in 1993. Mr. Kelly was a member of, the Cecilton Lion's Club, the Lower Cecil County Senior Citizens and V.F.W. Post 8175 in Elkton, MD. He enjoyed spending time with his family and working in his garden. He especially enjoyed volunteering his time to help others through the Lion's Club and socializing with his friends in the Seniors Group.

In addition to his parents Mr. Kelly was preceded in death by his wife of 48 years, Alma Marie Kelly in 2005, one brother, Vincent Kelly and one sister, Lucia Anderson.

He is survived by his daughter, Brenda Kelly of Wilmington, DE., one sister, Claire Hickey of Chestertown, MD., two sisters-in-law, Katherine Hicks of New Holland, PA. and Margaret Kelly of New York, New York, one granddaughter, Caitlin Higgins of Wilmington, DE., and numerous nieces and nephews.

A Catholic Mass will be held Wednesday, March 26, 2008 at 10am at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Chestertown, MD. A visitation will be held from 9 – 9:45am at the Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home 130 Speer Rd. Chestertown, MD.

Interment will be held in St. Paul's Cemetery in Chestertown, MD.

In lieu of flowers contributions can be sent to the Cecil Lions Charities, P.O. Box 477, Cecilton, MD, 21913 or Lower Cecil County Senior Citizens, Attn: Bud Brown, 56 Bluff Road, Earleville, MD 21919.

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