



Gerald J. Eberlin

May 17, 1920 - March 27, 2011

Gerald J. (Jerry) Eberlin, 90, of Marco Island, Fla., passed away Sunday, March 27, 2011, at Naples Florida Community Hospital.

He was born on a farm in Hermann, Mo., on May 17, 1920, to Alvin and Adele (Mundwiller) Eberlin.

Surviving are his beloved wife, Dorothy, of Marco Island, Fla., and four sons, G. Richard (Kenni) and James (Noraine) of Chicago, Ill.; Thomas (Lisa) of Peoria, Ill., and John (Catherine) of Denver, Colo.; eight grandchildren, Gordon, David, Jonathan, Caroline, Christopher, Rebecca, Sean and Meagan; two brothers, Vernon of Hermann, Mo., and Burnett of St. Louis, Mo.; and a sister, Evelyn Jane Pashedag.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, James; and a granddaughter, Emily.

Jerry was a graduate of Hermann High School and attended Washington University in St. Louis. He proudly and bravely served his country in the U.S. Army for four years in the China-Burma-India Theater during World War II. After the war he returned to St. Louis, where he married Dorothy Vogel. They relocated to Chicago, where he rose to vice president of the consumer products division of Oil Dri Corp. before retiring in 1980. Jerry moved to Marco

Island in 1981 and in 1985 returned to active work as an associate with Rose Packing Inc. of Barrington, Ill., until his death. He enjoyed a good day's work and being with his family.

He was a member of San Marco Catholic Church and VFW Post 6370 (Marco Island).

Visitation will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. Friday, April 1, 2011, at Hutchens Mortuary in Florissant, Mo. A funeral Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 2, 2011, at Sacred Heart Church in Florissant, followed by burial at Calvary Cemetery in Florissant.

Memorials may be made to Catholic Charities.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 1. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hutchens Mortuary and Cremation Center
675 Graham Rd.
Florissant, MO 63031
(314) 831-3100
info@hutchensmortuary.com
<http://www.hutchensmortuary.com>

Service

APR 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Church
751 N Jefferson St
Florissant, MO 63031