



## Owen Scherer, Sr.

October 11, 2008

Owen H. Scherer Sr., 78, of Jackson passed away Saturday, Oct. 11, 2008, at Saint Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau after a long illness. He was born Sept. 24, 1930, in Benton, Mo., son of Felix L. and Hilda L. Hebenstriet Scherer. Mr. Scherer was a foreman with AmerenUE in Cape Girardeau 37 years, and also farmed and raised registered Longhorn cattle in the Jackson area. He was a lifetime member of VFW Post 3838 and member of IBEW. He was of the Catholic belief. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. Survivors include a daughter, Debra C. (Stan) Baughn of Jackson; two sons, Owen H. (Victoria) Scherer Jr. of Jackson, Rowedy Enderle of Cape Girardeau; a brother, Francis Scherer of Anna, Ill.; three sisters, Delores Payne and Germaine Lynch of Cape Girardeau, Shirley Guard of Perryville, Mo.; a grandson, James O.S. Baughn of Jackson; former wife, Faye Schreiner of Cape Girardeau; a special friend, Jessie Kimbel of Jackson; her children, Dennis Kimbel of Jackson, Cindy Arnzen of Laflin, Mo., and Shannon Pogue of Marble Hill, Mo. He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister. Friends may call from 10 a.m. to service time Friday, October 17, 2008 at Ford & Sons Mount Auburn Funeral Home. The funeral will be at noon Friday, October 17, 2008 at the funeral home, with Chaplain Steve Francis officiating. Burial will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Missouri State Veterans Cemetery in Bloomfield with full military rites by Missouri Honors Team. Memorials may be made to Missouri Veterans Home, c/o Care Giver Enhancement Fund.