



Robert H. Heimburger

October 22, 2010

Robert Henry Heimburger Sr. of Cape Girardeau died Thursday, October 21, 2010, at age 88. He was born in St. Louis on March 26, 1922. He was preceded in death by: parents George Frederick and Ottillie (Kaiser) Heimburger; brothers Leonard (Marge) and George (Virginia); and sister Minnette (Ray) Williams. His wife, Jeannette (Bundenthal), with whom he celebrated his 68th wedding anniversary on Sept. 19, survives. He is also survived by: sons Robert Jr. (Sue) of Bonne Terre, and Paul (Judy) of Beaver Creek, CO; daughter Sherri (Jack) Mehner of Cape Girardeau; and grandchildren Paul and Jeff Heimburger, Jennifer Hoehn and Sarah Haas, and Jim and Mark Brickler and special "adopted daughter", Karen Bangert and her husband, Tom. A great-grandson is expected in November. Several nieces, nephews, cousins and friends also survive. He was in the Civilian Conservation Corps in 1940, surveying the state of Idaho with Company 473, Camp G-145, among other duties. After marrying Jeannette in 1942 in St. Louis, he joined the U.S. Navy and served four years during WW2, earning a Victory Medal. They started and owned Crestwood Plumbing Co (CPC) in St. Louis for years before selling it to their employees, who still operate the business today. They formed R.H. Heimburger Inc. and built homes in Jefferson County, MO, and later custom homes in Terre Du Lac. After retiring from the building business, Bob served as District Representative for Aid Assn. for Lutherans in Perry and Cape counties. He was a member of Hanover Lutheran Church. Bob was an avid outdoorsman, being a devoted

camper, fisherman, canoeist, storyteller, and generous chef of cowboy chili. His grandchildren were well-acquainted with his mischievous alter-ego, the ♦ Sheriff of Hangknot. ♦ A man of good humor, strong work ethic, and quiet spirituality, he will be sadly missed by all who knew him. Visitation is 4-6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 24, and funeral is 10 a.m. Monday, Oct. 25, both at Ford & Sons Funeral Home, 1001 N. Mt. Auburn Road, Cape Girardeau, Missouri. Burial will be in Missouri State Veterans Cemetery in Bloomfield, MO.

Tribute Wall

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“ Thinking of you during this emotional time. I offer sympathy and prayers to all the family for the healing of your grieving hearts. Sarah, a lovely obit.

Betty Schaper - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ May His Memory Be Eternal.

David Roth - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM