



Dewey F. Blanchard

January 31, 1922 - March 18, 2010

Dewey F. Blanchard, age 88 of Toledo passed away Thursday March 18, 2010 in Heatherdowns Rehabilitation Center.

He was a veteran of WWII and Korea and served in the Pacific Theater. He worked at Willys Overland for many years and in his later years was a Custodian for the Lucas County Common Pleas Court. Although he was a lifelong bachelor, he was very involved with his sisters' families. He loved boating, fishing and enjoyed woodworking. His easy smile and good nature endeared him to his family and many friends.

Dewey was preceded in death by his parents, Kathryn (Nevin) and Dewey A. Blanchard; sisters, Ruth and Jane and brother-in-law, Dick Blanchard; nephews, Billy and Joe Blanchard and Mike McMillan, nephew-in-law Bill Diener and great-niece, Molly Jo, as well as dear friend, Irene Yeager. He is survived by his nieces and nephews, Mary Diener, Jack (Peggy), Tom (Patrice) and Bob (Julia) Blanchard, Anne (Terrence) Muldoon, Kathleen Connelly, Janet (Mickey) Klocinski, Mary Jo McMillan, Sue (Randy Shaw) Waxler, Jack (Debbie) McMillan as well as many great nieces and nephews. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at Corpus Christi University Parish on Saturday, April 17, 2010 at 11 a.m. where the family will receive friends beginning at 10 a.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

Memorials may take the form of contributions to Hospice of Northwest Ohio or to Heatherdowns Rehabilitation Center.

The family would like to thank the staff at Heatherdowns Rehabilitation Center,

especially Marge Dunbar, Trevia Brooks, Stephanie Hill and Stacy Jones and to LeRoyna Drayton, Deb Sams and Jennifer from Northwest Ohio Hospice for their compassionate care.