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Earnest D. Smith Sr. age 86 of Toledo, passed away Sunday March 2, 2008 in the Arbors of Oregon. He was a WWII Army Air- Corps. veteran . He retired from the Ohio Air National Guard, 180th. Tactical Fighter Group and was a member of the Afterburners Retirement Group. After his retirement, he was employed by State Security and Rumpf Security and he retired from City Garage in 1999.

Ernie was preceded in death by his parents, his brother Lloyd Smith and his daughter Susan Neuendorf. He is survived by his loving and devoted wife of 45 years, Ceylon and sons Earnest Dale (Lisa) Jr. of Pennsylvania and Scott of Toledo. He is also survived by his niece Jean (David) Bennett of Florida, sister-in-law Joan Smith of Norwalk and best friend Jim Miller.

Friends may call at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd., on

Thursday from 2-8pm. Funeral services will be held on Friday beginning at 11am. in the mortuary with interment to follow in Highland Memory Gardens. Memorials may take the form of contributions to the Smith family. Ernie's family would like to thank the staff at Arbors of Oregon for their compassionate care.