



## Howard Wayne Schmelzer

May 9, 1924 - December 28, 2011

Howard W. Schmelzer, 87 of Maumee Ohio, passed away on Wednesday December 28, 2011 in St. Luke's Hospital, Maumee Ohio.

Born May 9, 1924 in Tarentum, PA., to Rudolph and Margaret Schmelzer Howard received his bachelor's degree from Millikin University, Decatur, IL and worked over 40 years as chief appraiser for the Federal Housing Administration retiring in 1985. He continued as a self employed appraiser for many additional years.

He served in the United States Army during WW II and remained a life member of the VFW Post 5758 in Tarentum, PA as well as in Toledo.

He held memberships in the Shriners International, the Elks Lodge #644 in Tarentum, PA, the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Ohio, Northern Light Lodge #0040, Maumee; Trout Unlimited, Fallen Timbers Chapter 035; the Society of Real Estate Appraisers and the National Rifle Association. He enjoyed his hobbies of Fishing, Hunting and watching the stock market.

Howard was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Maumee Ohio for many years.

He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Gloria, children, Todd Schmelzer and Jill (Larry) Henning; granddaughter Sloane Henning; step-grandchildren, Michael and Nick Henning, Brandi (Scott) Henning-Upp; Great grandsons, Scott Upp III and Alex Upp. Also surviving are his brothers James Schmelzer and Donald (Georgia) Schmelzer. He was preceded in death by his brother, Charles Schmelzer.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S Reynolds Rd on Tuesday January 3, 2012 from 10:00 am until the time of services at 12:00 p.m. in the funeral Home; Pastor Steven Nelson officiating. Interment will follow at Toledo Memorial Park. Memorials may take the form of a contribution to First Presbyterian Church in Maumee, Ohio.

# Tribute Wall



“ *To the Schmelzer Family,*

*I am sorry for your lose. Our prayers are with you. Keep your memories close to your heart.*

*Sincerely,*

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