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Kenneth W. Pitzen, age 78, of Maumee, OH passed away peacefully on Friday, May 30, 2008 while surrounded by his family.

He was born to Edward and Lucy (Miller) Pitzen on February 7, 1930.

Kenneth proudly served his country in the U.S. Army during the Korean War.

He was a member of the Third Infantry Regiment and marched at the Inauguration of President Dwight D. Eisenhower. He owned and operated Pitzen Farm and Greenhouse for 50 years and was a charter member of the Eastern Market Merchants Association, Detroit, MI. He was a member of the Adams Township, American Legion Post #553, Our Lady of Lourdes Church and for the last several years at St. Joan of Arc Church. Kenneth was a self taught fiddler and played regularly at wedding receptions and at the American Legion where he belonged.

Kenneth was preceded in death by his parents; brothers Edmund and Peter and sisters Cecelia (Walter) Lemle and Erma (John) Sprinski. He is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Harriet; daughter Heidi (Michael) Osswald; grandchildren Hannah, Anthony and Andrew, as well as sister Rose Irene (Lloyd) Lemle.

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

Sunday from 2- 8 p.m. where a Scripture Service will be recited at 7 p.m. Funeral Services will held on Monday beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the mortuary followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Joan of Arc Church at 10 a.m. Interment will be private.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the nurses and staff at the Lutheran Village at Wolf Creek and to Randy Climo, M.D.