



West, Ernest

September 11, 2008

West, Ernest "Dick", age 79 of Oak Ave., Moundsville died Thursday, September 11, 2008 in Reynolds Memorial Hospital, Glen Dale, WV. He was born April 18, 1929 in Moundsville, the son of the late, Ernest N. and Inez McConnell West.

He was a retired electrician from Elliott Electric; a member of Eagles #499, Earl Francis Post #3 American Legion; and Moundsville Post #437 VFW.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Ben West; and three sisters, Sally West, Delores Smith; and Michelle Honey.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Betty West; four children; Ernie West, Jenny (Tom) Heatwole, Kathy (Rusty) Long, all of Arizona, and Debbie Davis of Moundsville; two sisters, Beverly Palmer of Moundsville, and Jane (Leonard) Fainter of Virginia; two brothers, Rev. Ed. (Janelle) West of Arizona, and Harold "Bud" West of California; nine grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren and nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Monday from 11am until 1pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Avenue, Moundsville with interment, immediately following, in Riverview Cemetery, Moundsville where the Moundsville Honor Guard will conduct military graveside services.

Memorial contributions may be made to Grisell Funeral Home; for Dick West account.