



Joseph De Reus

March 5, 1916 - November 4, 2004

Joseph De Reus: Joe passed away early Thursday morning, Nov. 4, 2004 at Glenwood Place Assisted Living Home in Marshalltown, Iowa at the age of 88 years, 7 months and 30 days,

Joe is survived by a sister-in-law, Blanche Moore of Oskaloosa and several nieces and nephews.

Joseph De Reus, son of Art and Johanna Van Zante De Reus was born on March 5, 1916 near Leighton, IA in Mahaska County. He served in the United States Army, during WWII, with Company F, 113th Mechanized Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, serving as a tank driver in Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland and Central Europe. He married Marguerite Elaine Pfeifer on Sept. 20, 1947 in Sioux Falls, S.D. Joe worked as a brakeman with the M & St. L Railroad for 19 years; later he worked for Rollscreen in Pella. He was a member of St. Paul Congregational United Church of Christ. He enjoyed reading the Bible and hunting.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife on June 12, 1996.

Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph De Reus*

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