



Thomas F. Hopkins

April 17, 1923 - September 8, 2009

Thomas Franklin Tom Hopkins, 86, Bolivar, died Tuesday, September 08, 2009 in Parkview Healthcare Facility. The son Claude A. and Dorothea (Rosalier) Hopkins, he was born April 17, 1923 at Fair Play. Tom served in the Army Air Corps during World War II and in the U. S. Air Force during the Korean War. He was lineman and line crew foreman for Empire District Electric for 35 years. He was a former member of the Masonic Lodge where he was a 32nd Degree Mason and member of the Elks Lodge #2828 and the American Legion. He was married to Anna Frances Sis Bates. She preceded him in death May 14, 2005. He was also preceded by two daughters, Cheri Reifsteck and Debra Kay Hopkins, 2 sisters, Anna Meadors and Esther Bennett, and his parents. Survivors include 3 granddaughters, Stacy Jones, Mahomet, IL, Laura Pacunas, Rantoul, IL and Meri Gallivan, Chicago, IL; 3 great-grandchildren, Quentin and Myles Jones, Mahomet, IL and Haley Pacunas, Rantoul, IL; 1 brother, John Hopkins, Shelbyville, KY; 1 sister, Doris Fox, Juneau, AK; a longtime friend, Mary Burton, Bolivar; and many nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be at 10:30 AM Saturday, September 12, 2009 at Greenwood Cemetery with full military rites. Visitation will be Friday from 6:30 to 8:00 at Murray Funeral Home, Bolivar.

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