



Frederick (Fritz) Stein

August 16, 2005

Frederick (Fritz) Stein, age 88 Cold Spring February 5, 1917 – August 11, 2005 A Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, August 16, 2005 at St. Boniface Catholic Church in Cold Spring, MN for Fred Stein, age 88, who died Thursday at Assumption Nursing Home. Burial will be in the Parish cemetery. Friends may call after 4:00 p.m. Monday and from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m. Tuesday morning at the Wenner Funeral Home in Cold Spring. Parish prayers will be at 7:00 p.m. Monday evening followed by the Knights of Columbus and Catholic Order of Foresters Rosary. Fritz was born in Cold Spring, MN to Frederick and Barbara (Muggli) Stein. He married Margaret (Bowers) Schwankl on October 15, 1957 in St. Boniface Catholic Church, Cold Spring. Fritz graduated from St. John's Preparatory School in Collegeville, MN. He was a Navigator while serving for the Army Air Corp in World War II, flying numerous missions, including the D-Day invasion. Fritz returned from the service and began working at the First National Bank in Cold Spring, where he served as President until his retirement in 1990. He was a photographer, inventor, woodworker, winemaker and an avid fisherman. Fritz was a member of the Cold Spring Lion's Club, Catholic Order of Foresters, Knights of Columbus, and served on the Board of the Rocori School District. Survivors include his sons and daughters, Dorothy (Al) Chermak of Kasson, Mary (Dan) Flanagan of St. Paul, Elmer (Carol) Schwankl of Bloomington, Jerry (Kathy) Schwankl of Eden Prairie, Jim (Anne-Marie) Schwankl of Siler City, NC, Dave (Margo) Schwankl of Ketchikan, AK;

sister, Agnes Bell, Cold Spring; 18 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents; step-mother, Agnes; brothers Albert, Aloysious (Veach), Father Benjamin, OSB, Daniel, Joseph, Roger, Timothy and Victor; sisters Julia Stein, Laura Weber, and Philomene DiGiacomo; infant sister, Barbara; step-brother Anton; and grandson Quentin Schwankl. Memorials are preferred to Assumption Nursing Home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Frederick (Fritz) Stein*

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