



## Mathew Symalla

August 31, 1925 - July 17, 2011

Mathew Symalla, age 85, of Cold Spring, died Thursday at the St. Cloud Hospital, surrounded by his family. Mass of Christian Burial will be 11 a.m. Monday, July 18 at St. Boniface Church in Cold Spring. Friends and relatives may call from 4-7 p.m. Sunday at the Wenner Funeral Home in Cold Spring. Parish Prayers will be at 4:00 p.m. Visitation will continue Monday morning from 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. at the funeral home. Mathew was born August 31, 1925 in Waite Park, Minnesota. He graduated from St. Boniface High School in Cold Spring, and then enlisted in the U.S. Navy immediately upon graduation. Mathew married Marcella Witschen of St. Cloud on November 3, 1949. Mathew was a loving son, husband and father, who enjoyed fishing, hunting, gardening, feeding the birds, spending time with family, and eating his wife's homemade cookies. He was active in the Boy Scouts of America, the American Legion, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Survivors include his wife Marcella "Mouse", brothers Al (Donna) of Cold Spring, Jerry (Jean) of Lakeland, Florida, sister Val Frank of Cold Spring, son Tom of St. Paul, daughters Barb and Joan, also of St. Paul. He was preceded in death by his parents Thomas and Lenora, his brother Thomas, his sister Mary, and his infant son Joseph.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mathew Symalla*

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January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ *Thinking of you and hoping you are relishing your time together and your memories.*

*Sincerely,*

*Jeanne Scarr*

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**Jeanne Scarr** - July 17, 2011 at 07:57 PM



“ *Tom--I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your dad--you have my sympathy and prayers as you go through this--My dad died March 2010 and sometimes it still does not seem like it is real!*

*Dianne*

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**Dianne Schwegel Ledbetter** - July 16, 2011 at 06:17 PM