



Joseph "Jay" Ockert

September 17, 1929 - August 7, 2015

JOSEPH "JAY" JOHN OCKERT, 85, of Kingsley, passed away at home on Friday, Aug. 7, 2015. Joseph was born in Kingsley to John and Alice (Younglas) Ockert on , September 17, 1929. He married Mary Lueck on February 19, 1955. Jay served honorably in the Korean War, and also worked for the State of Michigan Employment Office. Joseph's parents preceded him in death, as did his siblings: Eleanor Bauer, Geraldine in infancy, Marie Sedlacek, Clarence Ockert, Leroy Ockert, Ethel Nickerson, Beatrice Weidner, Donaldine Nickerson, Robert Ockert, and Frederick Ockert. Surviving are his wife Mary, son John (Debra), daughter Sally, special sons Robert (Kathy) Kewaygoshkum and Dale (Cris) Gauthier; grandchildren Joseph (Cindy) Ockert, Erin (Craig) Raschi, Jeremy (Marsha) Ockert; great grandchildren Chloe, Allie, Vincent, Victor, Reece, Gabriel, Paisly, and Kemry; siblings Gerald (Kathy) Ockert, Ralph (Zita) Ockert, Margaret Lewis, and Rita Ockert. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place Tuesday, Aug. 11, at 11 a.m., with visitation from 10 a.m., at St. Mary of Hannah Catholic Church, Kingsley. Burial will follow at St. Mary of Hannah Catholic Cemetery. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary of Hannah Catholic Cemetery

2912 W. M-113
Kingsley, MI 49649

Previous Events

Final Visitation

AUG 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary of Hannah Catholic Church
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Funeral Mass

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