



Irving William Nelson

May 22, 1932 - October 10, 2010

Irving William Nelson, 78 formerly of Tinley Park, Homewood-Flossmoor area, passed away Oct. 10, 2010 at Deerbrook Nursing Home in Joliet. He is survived by his wife of 55 yrs., Lorraine; children: Debra (Raymond) Laux of Woodstock, Dawn (Christopher) Wantuch of Sugar Grove, SMSgt. Darryl (Ashley) Nelson of Yokota, Japan; grandchildren: Raymond III (Monica) Laux, Shari (Nick) Dahlberg, Robert Irving Laux, Samantha, Lea Wantuch, Adrienne, Kristen, Aaron Nelson; great-grandchildren: Tyler, Brandon, Joseph, Alexis, Katelyn, sister: Nadyne (late Dr. Raymond) Van Dam and many nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by his daughter Denise Nelson and grandson Zachary. Mr. Nelson attended Morgan Park Military Academy after which he joined the Air Force and served during the Korean War. He retired after a career in the transportation industry. Visitation will be held Thurs., Oct. 14 from 2-8:00 p.m. with Funeral Fri at 11:00 a.m. with Visitation 1 hr. prior at Heartland Memorial Center, 7151 183rd St. Tinley Park. Interment following at Washington Memory Gardens, Homewood. Donations may be directed to the Alzheimer's Association or Joliet Area Community Hospice. For info or to sign guestbook heartlandmemorial.com or (708)444-2266.

Tribute Wall



“ *The Nelson Family,*

We are very sorry for your loss. Uncle Irv was a great man and was one of the funniest people I have had the privilege to meet. He will be missed. Keep faith in your heart. It will not get easier, but the pain will dull in time. Surround yourself with all the great memories, celebrate his life. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

With Love,

Michelle, Mark, Tiffany, Mark Jr. Miller

Heather, Joel, James DeMase

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