

Edward E. Zimmerman

(March 8, 1916 - December 4, 2009)

Edward E. Zimmerman, 93, a resident of the Swiss Village Retirement Community in Berne, Indiana passed away on Friday, December 4, 2009 at Swiss Village.

Edward was born on March 8, 1916 in Adams County, Indiana the son of John and Mary (Schindler) Zimmerman, both deceased. He was a 1934 graduate of Bluffton High School in Bluffton, Indiana. He married Francille Harvey of Monroe, Indiana on October 2, 1938 and she survives.



Edward was employed by Dunbar Furniture Company of Berne, Indiana and Delco-Remy of Anderson, Indiana before being inducted into the United States Army in 1945. He was later employed by Stuckey & Luginbill as an interior decorator for thirty-two years and upon retirement was self-employed for twelve years.

Edward was a member of the West Missionary Church in Berne where he held the office of deacon and church treasurer for a number of years.

Surviving in addition to his wife of seventy-one years is a son, Marvin (Shelby) Zimmerman of Berne, Indiana; a grandson, Brent (Renea) Zimmerman of Bluffton, Ohio; a grandson, Kevin (Liza) Zimmerman of Villa Park, Illinois; a great-granddaughter, Caitlyn Zimmerman, and great-grandson, Bryan Zimmerman of Bluffton, Ohio; great-granddaughters Isabela and Nalia Zimmerman of Villa Park, Illinois; and a sister, Mrs. Howard (Dorothy) Kennel of Bluffton, Indiana.

Edward was preceded in death by four brothers, Henry, Wilbur, Palmer, and Richard Zimmerman and a sister, Pearl Hayes.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, December 7, 2009 in the Swiss Village Chapel with Jonathan Braunstein officiating. Interment will be in the M.R.E. Cemetery of rural Berne, Indiana.

Family and friends will be received from 2:00 – 8:00 p.m. Sunday, December 6, 2009 at the Swiss Village Chapel and one hour prior to the funeral service at Swiss Village on Monday.

Preferred memorials are to the West Missionary Church and Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana.

**Yager-Kirchhofer Funeral Home online obit (accessed 7/17/2013)**