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**Joseph R. "Joe" Ralston**

**Geneva - 1917-1999**

Joseph R. "Joe" Ralston, 82, of Geneva, a member of VFW Post 6751, died Wednesday, Nov. 24, 1999, at home.

The Geneva native retired in 1974, had worked for Kenosha Auto Transport and Indian Head Trucking Co. in Fort Wayne, was a member of the American Legion in Berne, Teamsters Union 414 and was a World War II Army veteran.

Surviving are brothers William D. of Pleasant Lake, Robert C. of Geneva and David P. of Angola; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by three sisters and four brothers.

Services are 10 a.m. Monday at Downing Funeral Home, Geneva, with calling one hour before services and also from 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday. Burial with military graveside services will be in West Lawn Cemetery, Geneva.

Memorials are to the donor's choice.

Information provided by Downing Funeral Home, Geneva, 1-219-368-7676.