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Arthur J. Gartenman, age 89 of Batesville, died Saturday, January 23, 2010, at Margaret Mary Hospital. Born March 25, 1920 in Ripley County Indiana, he is the son of Mary (Nee: Krieger) and George Gartenman. He married Rita Tebbe June 6, 1945 at St. Louis Church in Batesville. Art was a farmer and for 40 years was a sales representative for Watkins Products. He was a member of St. Louis Church. Art was a farmer at heart. He enjoyed gardening and even after retiring and moving to town, he still spent much of his time at the farm either tending to his garden or coaxing family members to help pick blackberry's and raspberry's which grew wild along the edges of his fields. Before Rita's death, they regularly played cards with friends and the game was usually 500 and Solo. Although not necessarily an avid sports fan, he did follow Indiana University basketball, but the teams' performance in recent years often left him disappointed. Up until recent years, Art also liked to go bass fishing, but lost interest in later years as health issues slowed him down. Those who knew Art knew that he loved a good parade. Batesville hosts several each year and if you attended, you could expect to see Art enjoying the festivities. He is survived by his daughter Donna Feller and son Dan Gartenman, both of Batesville, as well as nine grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren. In addition to his wife Rita and his parents, he is also preceded in death by brothers Alvin and Eugene Gartenman. Visitation is Tuesday, January 26th, from 4-7 p.m. at the funeral home. A private family rosary service will be held. Funeral services are 10 a.m. Wednesday, January 27th, at St. Louis Church with Rev. Rob Hankee officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. The family requests memorials to St. Louis School or Phi Beta Psi Cancer Research.



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DI

Dennis Meister Of Batesville, Indiana posted:

Donna and Denny, You have our condolences.Dennis & Jeannie

January 26 at 8:00 PM

PO

Patricia Hartman Of Cincinnati, Ohio posted:

Donna and Dan and your wonderful families~We will always remember Uncle Art with love. What a wonderful person who touched us all with his generous spirit, wonderful smile and that joyful twinkle in his eye!You are in our thoughts and prayers; may peace and grace cushion your sorrow. Love to all, Patricia, Fred & Family

January 26 at 8:00 PM

JS

Joan Timke-Thompson Of Shelbyville, In posted:

Donna, You have my deepest sympathy on the death of your Dad. You are in my prayers. Joan

January 24 at 8:00 PM

RI

Rozetta Harpring Of Batesville,In posted:

This is the man that was know to myself and my family as" GRANDPA".Although not related,but through family,this was a person that I was always able to watch at family functions and how much he adored his wife and loved his family. May peace and love be with the Gartenman family at this time."Grandpa" will be missed. With my deepest sympathy, Rozetta Harpring.

January 23 at 8:00 PM

MB

Marilyn And Paul Of Batesville, In posted:

Much Love and All our Love Marilyn and Paul

January 23 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Arthur by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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