



Roy Martin

February 1, 1924 - September 4, 2012

Martin, Roy Filmore, Tuesday, September 4, 2012, age 88, baptized into the Catholic Church. Beloved husband of the late Annabelle Veronica Martin (nee Guttman) for 59 years-----. Dear father of the late Craig Martin and of Cheryl Welsch, Anita Janes and Charles Martin. Wonderful grandfather to Craig's son, the late Corin Martin, and to Cheryl's three children, Eric Neiner, Brittany Panchot and Dylan Welsch and Charles' children, Patrick Martin and Stephanie Martin; brother, uncle, friend. He was a longtime resident of Florissant, MO, with fond memories of living for a time with his Uncle Chuck and their 10 children in Valles Mines, MO. Roy graduated from Hadley Technical School and began his first job a month before his 18th birthday at Sunnen Products, Inc., where he retired in 1987 after 45 years as a tool and die specialist. He loved going to Sunnen Lake in Potosi with his family and friends, enjoying his last trip there just this past June. Sunnen was the font of his many and often told stories (Most of his family could repeat these stories verbatim!). Roy and his wife, "Belle" were foster parents to many babies and children, adopting four. He rarely called his children (or grandchildren) by their given names, preferring nicknames such as, Frog, Squirt, Miss Priss or Gink! He had a passion for the history of World War II, fueled by his inability to serve his country due to a broken ear drum. He loved his farm he and Annabelle purchased in 1950, spending many, many weekends there with family, nephews hunting and picking blackberries. He even brought home a couple of family dogs from there. He tried to sneak through the physical three times,

only to be warned if he attempted it again he would be arrested! He will be missed so very much by us all!

Cemetery Details

Sts. Peter and Paul

Waterloo, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **9**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Archway Memorial Chapel
111 Taylor Road
Hazelwood, MO 63042
(314) 895-3900
info@archwaychapel.com

Funeral Mass

SEP **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Sabina Catholic Church
1625 Swallow Lane
Florissant, MO 63031

Tribute Wall

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“ Kenneth McGhee And Archway Staff lit a candle in memory of Roy Martin



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