



Edmund J. "Ed" Kontek

May 18, 1924 - February 11, 2011

Edmund J. "Ed" Kontek, 86, of Bluffton, passed away at 12:44 p.m. Friday, February 11, 2011 at Bluffton Regional Medical Center.

Born in Chicago, Illinois, on May 18, 1924 he was the son of Jan and Rose (Laskowski) Kontek who preceded him in death. Also preceding him in death was his wife of 35 years, Dorothy Griffin Kern, who passed away in 2000, a sister, Bernice Kijak and a brother, Walter Kontek.

Ed is survived by a sister, Gertrude Lynn of Florida and a niece, Patricia Miller of Plainfield, Illinois.

Ed served in World War II and returned from service as a Sergeant. He was in the United States Air Force for 23 years retiring August 31, 1975. After retirement from the military, Ed worked in the Bluffton Harrison Metropolitan School District for 14 ½ years retiring from there December 31, 1990. Ed was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bluffton and American Legion Post #111.

Funeral mass will be at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, February 15, 2011 at St. Joseph Catholic Church with Father Francis Chukwuma officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the funeral mass at the church. Burial will follow at Elm Grove Cemetery. Military graveside rites will be conducted by American Legion Post #111. Preferred memorials are to the church. Funeral arrangements are by Thoma/Rich, Chaney & Lemler Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **15**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St Joseph Catholic Church
1300 N Main St
Bluffton, IN

Service

FEB **15**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Edmund J. "Ed" Kontek*

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“ *We were saddened to hear of Ed's passing. He was a nice & kind fellow. He was married to Richard's first cousin, Dorothy. We were sorry we didn't get to see him in the past few yrs, due to health issues here (we live in Illinois). I know he will be missed by all who knew him.*

Sincerely,

Dick & Joann Stram##imported-begin##*Richard & Joann Stram*##imported-end##

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“ *I am so sad to hear about Ed's passing. He was a patient, and good friend, of mine when I worked in Bluffton. We had some great talks and I know he missed Dorothy so much. I would take him to his Dr. appointments in Ft. Wayne, and visit with him when he was in the hospital and at Meadowvale. He was a great man, and I loved him. He had such a strong faith, and I know he is in heaven with God. Rest in Peace Ed. Love, Nelle Marie*##imported-begin##*Nelle Marie Brown, FNP*##imported-end##

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