

## **Kenneth A. Horvet**

Mr. Kenneth A. Horvet, 84, of Plymouth Township, passed away Monday, Aug. 23, 2010 after a long illness, at his residence, under hospice care.

Kenneth was born April 6, 1926 in Detroit, to the late Eli and Anita (Brinkman) Horvet. He married Genevieve Smaglinski Sept. 7, 1946 at St. Mary Catholic Church in Parisville.

He attended high school and a drafting trade school in Detroit. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1943 to 1946 on the USS. Patterson in the Pacific during W.W. II. He was a ship fitter and a salvage diver. Kenneth worked for Burroughs Corp., now Unisys, for 36 years as a supervisor before retiring in 1984. He was a member of St. Kenneth Good Council Church for 20 years. He was also a member of the Northville VFW Post No. 4012 for 30 years. He enjoyed fishing, golfing, bowling, woodworking and playing cards, especially pinochle. He truly enjoyed his family and friends.

Kenneth is survived by his wife of 63 years, Genevieve of Plymouth Township; his children, Linda Wozniak and her husband, Lawrence, of White Lake, Kirk Horvet and his wife, Kathleen, of Royal Oak; five grandchildren, Lance (Karin) Wozniak of Waterford, Justin Wozniak of White Lake, Jennifer Horvet of Royal Oak, Seaman Travis Horvet, U.S.N., of Monterey, Calif.; PFC. Keenan Horvet of Fayetteville, N.C.; one sister, Joyce Bashur of Warren; two sisters-in-law, Gladys Horvet of Calif. and Marion Smaglinski of Harbor Beach; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by an infant granddaughter, Carrie Wozniak; one brother, Richard (Dick) Horvet. His father-in-law and mother-in-law, Frank and Agnes Smaglinski.

The funeral Mass will be 11 a.m. Friday, Aug. 27, 2010 at St. Mary Catholic Church in Parisville. The Rev. Peter Nwokoye, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in the church cemetery with military honors.

Visitation will be from 1:30 to 9 p.m. Thursday and from 9 to 10 a.m. Friday at the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home in Ubly. There will be a parish vigil service at 7 p.m. Thursday evening at the funeral home.

Memorials are requested to St. Mary Catholic Church in Parisville.