

WALTER E. STAEHLI

1901 - 1994

Walter E. Staehli, 93 of Elyria, OH, passed away Friday, Sept. 23 at Autumn Aegis Nursing home following a five-week illness.

He was born in Eldon on May 22, 1901, son of John and Magdalena (Gascho) Staehli and lived most of his life in Lorain, OH, moving to Elyria in 1987.

Mr. Staehli worked in the Tool & Die Department of US Steel pipe mills in Lorain, retiring in 1966 after 38 years of service. He served as deacon at the Trinity Baptist Church in Lorain, where he was a member for 35 years. He later became a member of the Church of the Open Door in Elyria, serving as an usher.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ann, in 1976.

Mr. Staehli is survived by his wife of nearly 16 years, Dorothy (nee Baldwin); a daughter, Sandra Schneppe of Lorain; one granddaughter, Shirley Hershner of Amherst, OH and one brother, John Staehli of Wilowick, OH.

Also preceding him in death were five sisters, Anna Greenwood, Lydia Schembeer, Elizabeth Weidman, Martha Hewitt, Emma Weidman and one brother, Andrew Staehli.

Burial was in Ridge Hill Memorial Park of Amherst Township.