

Leslie S. Gardner

1913 - 1997

Leslie Stuart Gardner, age 83 of Caseville Township (formerly of Clawson), passed away Friday, July 25 at his home.

He was born in Detroit on September 21, 1913, the son of the late Alfred S. and Minnie (Jones) Gardner. On June 15, 1940 he was united in marriage to Marion Pudney at Northwestern Baptist Church in Detroit. She survives him.

Mr. Gardner was a member of the Hubbard Winsor Lodge No. 420, Free and Accepted Masons, Pigeon, and a former member of the Caseville Kiwanis Club. He was a member of the Caseville United Methodist Church, where he sang in the church choir and was formerly a trustee.

He is survived by his wife, Marion; a daughter and son-in-law, Barbara and Neal Gehring, Royal Oak; two grandsons, Jeffrey (Kimberly) Gehring and Jeremy Gehring; nieces, Darlyn Miller, Charlotte Lothian, and Rev. Shirley Pudney; a sister-in-law, Betty Pudney; and several great nieces and great nephews. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Iris and Muriel.

Cremation has taken place at Sunset Valley Crematory, Bay City. Private committal services will be held.

Memorials may be made to the Hubbard Winsor Lodge F & AM #420, Friends for Life Hospice, or Youth for Christ.