

JOHN OTTO ELSESSER 1922 - 1995

John "JACK" Elsesser age 73 of Elkton died unexpected of a ruptured aneurysm, Saturday at Bay Medical Center, Bay City.

He was born January 18, 1922 in Elkton son of the late Otto and Emma (Oldenburg) Elsesser.

On June 25, 1949, he was united in marriage to Betty Crumback at the First Presbyterian Church in Bad Axe.

After high school he joined the army and served in the European theater during WW II. He took a position with Detroit Edison on his return and retired as a supervisor in September of 1986 after over 41 years.

Mr. Elsesser was a charter member, past president and current treasurer of the Elkton Lions Club, member and past commander of the Carpenter-Dorsch VFW Post #6013, served many years on the Elkton Village Council and Scheurer Hospital Board of Directors, member of the Oliver Twp. Fire Dept. 38 years and loved to golf with one Hole-in-one to his credit.

Surviving are his wife, Betty; three sons, John (Janet) Elsesser of Reese, Jim (Karen) Elsesser and Mark Elsesser both of Charlotte; five grandchildren, Kristin, Elizabeth, Jeffrey, Matthew and Kendra; three sisters, Eleanor (Henry) Dejonghe of Sterling Hts., Dorothy Elsesser of Elkton, Arlone (Lloyd) Rowland of East Pointe; a brother, Donald (Eleanor) Elsesser of St. Clair Shores and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a brother, Robert.

Funeral services will be conducted 11:00 AM Tuesday, July 11, at the Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elkton. Rev. Sang Chun, pastor of the Elkton United Methodist Church will officiate with military rights and burial at Riverside Cemetery, Elkton.

Memorials may be directed to:
Scheurer Hospital or Leader Dog