



Stanley R. Hicks

February 14, 1919 - December 29, 2010

Stanley R. Hicks, 91, of New Castle, went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, December 29, 2010 in his home.

He was born February 14, 1919 in Brownstown, Wisconsin, a son of the late Marvin and Mary Elizabeth (Burchett) Hicks.

Stanley had worked at Borg Warner in Muncie and as an auto mechanic for Newby Paul in New Castle. He also did apartment maintenance and general handyman work. He served in the U.S. Army during WWII and was assigned to Hiroshima immediately following the bombing. He drove the first scientists and doctors into Hiroshima to review the area. He attended the North 14th St. Church of God.

He is survived by his wife, Dacie "Pal" (Tabor) Hicks; three daughters, Carolyn Stout of New Castle, Ann (husband: Mike) Selvy of Avon and Jeannie Garner of Indianapolis; ten grandchildren, David Hicks of Omaha, Nebraska, Bob (wife: Carrie) Hicks of Greenfield, Dawn (husband: Lon) Kincaid of New Castle, Sharon Stout of Indianapolis, Karen Stout of Noblesville, Michelle (husband: Scott) Minard of Sugar Hill, GA, Jeff (wife: Mary) Garner of Indianapolis, April (husband: Kirk) Roth of Avon, Shane Hicks of New Castle and Cori (husband: Kirk) Bowser of Ft. Wayne; 14 great-grandchildren; a sister, Wanda (husband: Homer) Crabtree of Rushville and a brother, Lyndon (wife: Helen) Hicks of New Castle.

He was preceded in death by his son, Stanley E. "Buddy" Hicks, four brothers, William A., Chester M., Odie G., and Joe W. Hicks; and two sisters, Jorene

Hicks and Hope Guffey.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, January 1, 2011 Sproles Family Funeral Home with Revs. Elwood Evans and Phil Brown officiating.

Military honors will be provided by a contingent from the VFW and American Legion. Burial will follow in South Mound West Lawn Addition.

Friends may call from 4 – 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association for research with envelopes available at the funeral home. You may send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

Sproles Family Funeral Home is honored to serve the family of Stanley R. Hicks.

Tribute Wall

LN

“ *Mamma Carolyn & Family, Our Deepest Sympathies go out to you all in your time of grief & sorrow. We are thinking of you all and praying for you. Take care of Mamma and God Bless You All.*

Liz Niles - December 31, 2010 at 10:21 PM

MC

“ *Stanley was a very special person, we will miss his smiling face. Our prayers are with you Pal and Family. Love, Mike and Pat Crabtree*

Mike & Pat Crabtree - December 31, 2010 at 08:09 PM

DW

“ *Ann & Mike: We are so sorry to hear about the passing of your father. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you. We love you. Don & Lori*

Don & Lori Wagner - December 31, 2010 at 12:35 PM

GW

“ *Ann and Mike and Family, I'm sorry for the loss of your father. Amy saw it on Michele's Facebook and called this evening. I know what it is to lose a father. With Sympathy, Gretchen*

Gretchen Weber - December 30, 2010 at 07:56 PM

JS

“ *Ann and Mike: I am so sorry for your loss. May the Lord be with you and comfort you at this very difficult time. Love and Prayers, Judy (Prince) and Pete Johnston*

Judy Straus - December 30, 2010 at 04:41 PM

LA

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you. His battle is done and surely, he is at peace, at last.*

Linda Adams - December 30, 2010 at 03:36 PM