



Joseph J. Kilzer

March 14, 1927 - May 16, 2013

Joseph J. Kilzer, 86, of Lisle, formerly of the Skokie and Huntley areas, passed away Thursday, May 16, 2013 at Edward Hospital in Naperville.

He was born March 14, 1927 in Chicago the son of Peter and Dorthea (nee Schuster) Kilzer. On February 23, 1957 he married Vivian Allison in Chicago.

Joseph was a Tool and Die maker for 40 yrs and a member of IAM; past President of former Local 113 in Chicago, a former member of St. Lambert's Catholic Church in Skokie where he was a choir member for over 30 yrs and past President of St. Lambert's school board. Following this he was a hospice volunteer for 20 yrs in Illinois and Wisconsin. Joseph was a Jonny Appleseed, he loved to plant trees everywhere he lived, loved to garden and plant flowers. He will be deeply missed by all.

He is survived by his wife, Vivian, children; Mary Voelker of Vernon Hills, Mark (Marci) Gutting-Kilzer of Des Plaines, Paula (Barry) Tomsy of Woodridge, grandchildren; Justin "JJ" and Jillian Gutting-Kilzer, Zachary, Wesley and Alexandra Tomsy.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother; Frank Seibert and sister Anna Turausky.

Visitation will be Wednesday, May 22, 2013 from 9:00 am until the 10:00 am Memorial Mass at St. Mary Catholic Church, 10307 Dundee Road, Huntley. Inurnment will be at a later date at Arlington Heights Wheeling Township Cemetery.

Memorials in his name may be directed to Fox Valley Hospice at www.countrysidecareyp.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph J. Kilzer*

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