



Cecil "Buddy" Winkler

October 25, 2010

Becherkluesner@insightbb.com Dateline Benton, Kentucky Cecil "Buddy" Winkler, age 79 of Benton, Kentucky and formerly of Jasper, Indiana died on Monday (October 25, 2010) at his home.

He was born at Huntingburg, Indiana on February 7, 1931 to Cecil and Lydia (Batch) Winkler. He married Mary Frances Merkley on November 8, 1955 in St. Joseph Catholic Church in Jasper.

Cecil Winkler was a Korean War Veteran, He was one of the three to survive the Pork Chop Hill Battle, he was the recipient of the Purple Heart and the Silver Star.

He was a life member of the V.F.W. Post # 673 in Jasper.

Surviving,

Wife, Mary Winkler, Benton, KY

2 daughters,

Iris Winkler, Benton, KY

Mrs. Tom (Vicki) Osborne, Paducah, KY

3 son,

Mark Winkler, Benton, KY

Mike Winkler, Puducah, KY

Faren Winkler, Jasper, IN

10 Grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren

3 sisters,

Kay Fritz, St. Anthony, In

Diana Winkler, Birdseye, IN

Mrs. Joe (Ruth) Buechler, Jasper, IN

2 brothers,

Don Winkler, St. Anthony, IN

Dave Winkler, Redmond, OR

Preceding him in death besides his parents is his step-mother Irene (Kays) Winkler. 2 sisters, Bonnie Hawkins, and Zona Price also 2 brothers, Keith and Dale Winkler.

Friends may call from Noon -2 p.m. Saturday (October 30, 2010) at the Collier Funeral Home in Benton, Kentucky.

Graveside service will be held in Fairview Cemetery in Jasper at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ Cecil "Buddy" Winkler

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“ I would like to offer my deepest sympathies to you. All of us have experienced the loss of a loved one. I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that you are never alone. Turn to the Holy Scriptures for guidance and to help soothe your heart. Psalms 34;18 assures us that God is near to those broken at heart and crushed in spirit. Please accept my deepest sympathies.

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