



Anton "Tony" Mathiowetz

January 19, 2006

Mathiowetz, Anton "Tony" Louis age 85, of Hopkins, died Jan. 16, 2006 at the MN Veterans Home in Mpls. Tony is survived by his wife of 60 years, Phyllis; children, Dianne of Atlanta, Pat (Tim) Mauren of Maple Grove, Alan (Jan) of Edina and Rick (Pattie) of Prior Lake; grandchildren, Gabrielle (Matt) Mauren, Adrienne, Paige, Claire, Jack and Ted; sister, Marie Cook; sisters- in-law, Rose, Mary, Ida, Lucille, and Winnifred; numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Raymond, Ambrose, Wendelin, Leonhart, Alfred, Joseph, Leo, Leonard, Ethelbert, Heribert, Arthur; and sister, Theresa. Tony was born on Dec. 12, 1920 in Mulligan Township, Brown County, to Bartl & Theresa (Reminger) Mathiowetz. He served in the Pacific Theater in WWII. On April 29, 1945, in Port Arthur, TX he married Phyllis Marie Zwaschka. Tony was a long time member and business agent for IBEW 292. Upon retiring in 1982, he and Phyllis lived for many years in Cold Spring, St. Cloud and Mission, TX where they enjoyed golfing and bowling. Tony was an avid Minnesota sports fan and gardener. Two of his favorite stories were being struck out by the great Bob Feller and dancing with Rita Hayworth. Memorial service Thursday 1:00 PM at the Minnesota Veterans Home, 5100 Minnehaha Ave., Mpls. Visitation 12:30 to 1:00 PM. Private interment Fort Snelling National Cemetery. Special thanks to the Staff at MN Veterans Home for their wonderful care and compassion. In lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred to the MN Veterans Home. Washburn-McReavy Strobeck Johnson 952-938-9020