



Clarence "Clary" Novak

November 13, 2011

Age 89 ~ Of Mpls. Formerly of Shoreview Passed away Nov. 8, 2011. Clary was founder and president of Hillcrest Electric, former president of NECA, and a WWII Veteran Army Air Corps 859th Bomber Squadron/OSS Carpet Bagger. Preceded in death by wife, Betty; parents; and brothers, John and Ed. Survived by children Jack (Karen), Jim (Kris), Cheri (Jim) Dougherty, Mary (Craig) Schuster; many grandchildren and great-grandchildren; brother, Bob (Pat); sister, Rose; sister-in-law, Darlene; nieces, nephews and many friends. Interment St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Cemetery, New Brighton. Memorial Mass Thursday 11AM, Epiphany Catholic Church, 111th & Hanson Blvd., Coon Rapids. Visitation 1 hour prior to Mass at church and Wednesday, 5-8 PM at Washburn-McReavy Coon Rapids Chapel 763-767-1000 1827 Coon Rapids Blvd.

Tribute Wall

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