



Donald K. Ruddick

February 26, 1923 - January 7, 2010

Beloved Dad, Grandpa & Friend Born February 26, 1923 Passed away January 7, 2010. Preceded in death by wife Janis, parents and brother. Survived by daughters Janelle (Randy) Petterssen, Barbara (Donald) Nierengarten, Laurie (Jerry) Pichert; 7 grandchildren Melissa & Liz Petterssen, Brett & Eric Nierengarten, Alexa, Matthew & Chris Pichert; brother Darrel (Rita) Ruddick; niece and nephew. Don was employed by US Postal Service for 31 years (NARFE 140), member of VFW Post #458 (106th Infantry Association). Active member of his church, volunteered as basketball coach at NW Como, volunteered over 2000 hrs at Lyngblomsten Center. He will always be remembered for his love of sports, gardening and his willingness to help others. Funeral service Tuesday 11:00 AM at ST. CHRISTOPHER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 2300 N. Hamline Ave., Roseville. Visitation Monday 5-8 PM in the HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM-PURCELL FUNERAL HOME; 536 N. Snelling Ave., St. Paul (651-646-2844) and at church on Tuesday from 10:00 AM until time of service. Interment Roselawn Cemetery. Memorials preferred to St. Christopher's Episcopal Church or donor's choice.