



Maurice Narveson

June 8, 2011

Narveson, Maurice Melvin 95, passed away Friday, June 3, 2011 at Good Shepherd Health Center in Mason City, IA. He was born August 13, 1915 in Forest City, Iowa to Ella (Akeson) and Nels Narveson. Maury graduated from Austin MN High School. During high school he enjoyed working as a pin setter and assistant manager at the bowling alley and was quite an exceptional bowler. He was an avid reader and had read nearly every book in the Austin library before he graduated. He married Georgina (Winkert) in Tulsa, OK June 16th, 1945. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary before Jeannie's death in 1995. Maurice served in Italy during WWII as a chemical instructor. Following the service, he and Jeannie lived in Chicago for a few years. They then settled in Bloomington, MN. and later moved to Edina. They were both employed at Honeywell in the Minneapolis area. Maurice came to live at Good Shepherd in Mason City in early 2009 to be near his closest family. He was preceded in death by his wife, Jeannie, four brothers: Richard, Paul (Ethel), Norbert (Mona), and Howard Narveson, and one sister Ruth (Donald) Gerdes. He is survived by one brother, Clayton (Betty) Narveson of Maryville, TN., many nephews and nieces, Special nephew Gary (Susan) Gerdes of Mason City, IA. And best friends Ruth, Jim and Maggie Sobiech of Bloomington, and Jim and Maggie Marino of New Brighton, MN. Maurice was a charming, witty, intelligent and wise soul, and he will be dearly missed by all who knew him. Visitation will be at 10:00 am Saturday, June 11 with service to follow at 11:00 am at Washburn-McReavy Edina Funeral Chapel, 5000 West 50th and

Highway 100, Edina, MN 55436. Burial will be in Lakewood Cemetery, 3600 Hennepin Ave., Minneapolis. Memorials may be directed to St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, 8400 France Ave S., Bloomington, MN, 55431 in memory of Maurice. Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel 952-920-3996