



Thomas McKay

December 7, 2005

McKay, Thomas J., Sr. age 81, of Buffalo, passed away on Dec. 4, 2005. Preceded in death by parents; grandson, Kellen McNeill; brother, Del; brother-in-law, Emmett Hanratty; sister-in-law, Dorothy McKay. Survived by his loving wife of 16 years, Marilyn; loving children, Tom Jr. (Mary Ann), Diane McKay, Derek (Maggie) and Nadine (Don) McNeill; grandchildren, Eric McKay, Nicole (Greg) Meyers, Aaron (Melissa) McKay, Nadine (Jeff) Kirk, and Brian McNeill; great grandchildren, Danielle, Christian, Gabrielle and Nicholas; siblings, Edward "Mickey", Harriet (Tom) Chenvert and Betty Hanratty; sister-in-law, Jackie McKay; many other relatives and friends. Tom was one of the founders/co-owner of Egan McKay Electrical Contractors. He sold his portion of the company in 1984 and retired so he could pursue one of his greatest passions in life, trapshooting. He's traveled around the US and had spent his last 18 winters in Arizona with his wife doing the thing he loved, TRAPSHOOTING. Tom was president of N.E.C.A. for 4 years. His father (Harry McKay) was one of the charter members to form the I.B.E.W. in Minnesota. Tom himself was a member for 60 years. He was also very active and held many positions while in the office for the M.T.A., one of those being Minnesota's A.T.A. (Amateur Trapshooting Association) delegate for 13 years. His little "shooting buddy", as he called him (his dog), T.J., was his constant companion at every shoot following him. Tom also served in the Navy Seabee's WWII. His achievements in life are too numerous to list. He was also a member of the Knights of Columbus. For all the people he touched the

hearts of he will be sadly missed. Interment Fort Snelling National Cemetery.
Service Friday 11:00 AM with visitation one hour prior at: Washburn-McReavy
Edina Chapel W. 50th St. & Hwy 100 at Vernon Ave. 952-920-3996