



Cecil Lowe

September 10, 1920 - January 19, 2006

Mr Cecil Wayne Lowe, age 85, of Highland, IL., died Thursday, January 19, 2006, at Saint Joseph Hospital in Highland, IL.

He was born September 10, 1920, in East St. Louis, IL., the son of Roscoe and Trix (nee Goldman) Lowe.

On February 14, 1939, he married Emma Margaret Lowe, who passed away September 23, 1983.

He grew up and attended school in East St. Louis, IL. He was a Band Leader and Singer in night clubs in the East St. Louis and St. Louis area as a young man growing up. He served three years of active duty during World War II in the U.S. Navy as a Baker. Stationed at Alameda, California and Honolulu, Hawaii. After the Navy he lived in Woodson Terrace, Missouri; working for delmar Lanes (bowling alley) and the Union Biscuit Company, both in St. Louis County. He and his wife then opened a bakery, "Lowe's Bakery" in N. St. Louis County, he was the baker and his wife ran the front. Later selling the bakery and opening a restaurant "Lowe's Restaurant", in N. St. Louis county. His wife ran the restaurant and he drove a truck for T. Rose Hauling and helped with the restaurant in the evening.

They moved to Pin Oak Township east of Edwardsville, IL in 1959, selling the restaurant in 1962. August 4, 1994 he moved to Highland, Illinois.

Survivors include Step-Sister-Opal O'Neal, Friend-Carol J. Seidel of Highland, Ill., Sister in-law-Doris (Len) Schoue of California, Sister in-law-Vivian Mitchell of Florida

He was preceded in death by Father-Roscoe Burton Lowe, Mother-Trix E. Lowe, Wife-Emma Margaret Lowe, step-Sister-Wanda Blake, Bother in-law-Walter Mitchell

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, Ill.