



Spurgeon Donnelly

July 28, 1921 - October 14, 2008

Spurgeon Donnelly, age 87, of Highland, IL., died Tuesday, October 14, 2008, at Faith Care Center/Faith Countryside Homes in Highland, IL.

He was born July 28, 1921, in Marine, IL., the son of John and Anna (nee Bader) Donnelly.

On June 25, 1949, he married Wilma M. Donnelly, nee Sedlacek , who passed away September 9, 1991.

He was a member of St. Paul Catholic Church - Highland, IL; VFW Post #5694-Highland.

Spurgeon was born and identical twin to his brother Virgil in Marine Township, and attended Giger School. He worked on several local farms before joining the US Navy from 1942 to 1946. When he returned from the service he worked at Highland Supply until his retirement in 1991.

Spurgeon was an avid baseball player when he was young and continued to enjoy the game throughout his life. He liked to hunt and fish, and was a "WONDERFUL DAD" .

Survivors include Daughter-Janice D. (David) Ichel of New York, N.Y., Daughter-Kay W. (William) Butler of Highland, Ill., Sister-Priscilla Shoreack of

Highland, Ill., Brother-William (Jean) Donnelly of ., Fla.

He was preceeded in death by Father-John Miles Donnelly, Mother-Anna Donnelly, nee Bader, Wife-Wilma M. Donnelly, nee Sedlacek (DOD: 09/09/91), Sister-Henrietta Spengel, Brother-Urban Donnelly, Brother-John Donnelly, Brother-Virgil Donnelly (twin to Spurgeon)