



Lawrence A. "Skinny" Ohsowski

January 21, 1925 - March 24, 2012

CROSWELL: Lawrence A. "Skinny" Ohsowski, age 87, a resident of Croswell formerly of Detroit, passed away peacefully at his residence on Saturday March 24, 2012.

He was born on January 21, 1925 in Detroit one of twelve children of the late Joseph and Catherine (Graczyk) Ohsowski. Mr. Ohsowski proudly served his country in the United States Navy during WWII. He married Jeanne E. Willer on July 19, 1947 in Angola, Indiana. She preceded him in death on November 12, 2000.

Skinny worked in construction for Western Waterproofing and Crowe Construction. He was a 3rd Degree member of the Kof C Council #3577-Redford, a member of both Christ The King Catholic Church in Detroit and St. Denis Catholic Church in Lexington. Life member of VFW Post #0382 and over a fifty year member of the Laborers Union Local #1191.

He is survived by his children Lawrence Ohsowski, Jr. of Redford, Maryann Ohsowski of Croswell and Janice Dahl of Royal Oak. 6 Grandchildren and 5 Great Grandchildren. Two brothers Richard Ohsowski of N. Carolina and Donald (Lucille) Ohsowski of Taylor, a sister Charlotte Ohsowski also of N. Carolina. His best friend Doris Schuster of Lexington. Several loving nieces and nephews and many, many friends. He was preceded in death by eight of his brothers and sisters. Skinny will be sadly missed by everyone who knew this kind and gentle man.

Visitation will be Tuesday at the Pomeroy Funeral Home in Lexington from 3-9

PM, with Rosary Devotions at 8 P.M. this evening. Mr. Ohsowski will then be taken to the Sajewski Funeral Home at 19111 W. Warren Ave. in Detroit where he will lie in state from 3-9 on Wednesday and a Rosary will be recited by the Kof C at 7 PM that evening. Funeral Mass at 11 AM on Thursday at Christ The King Catholic Church in Detroit. Fr. Victor Clore will officiate, with visiting at the church from 10:30- 11AM on Thursday. Interment with military honors will follow in the Mt. Olivet Catholic Cemetery. For further info call Pomeroy's at 810-359-7700.

Memorials in memory of Skinny may be made to the Blue Water Hospice.

Tribute Wall

VM

“ I am so sorry to hear about Skinny's passing. He was a good man and a wonderful friend.

Vaden Murray - April 11, 2012 at 10:55 PM

AT

“ So sorry to hear of Uncle Skinny's passing. May our thoughts of sympathy help to ease your pain at this difficult time.

April, Helene & Scott Tyson - March 27, 2012 at 07:47 PM

JW

“ Dear Jan, My deepest sympathy to you & your family over the loss of your Dad. You are in my thoughts & prayers. Sincerely, Janice

Janice Watson-Shada - March 26, 2012 at 07:28 PM

SF

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. Please know that God will comfort and sustain you. Psalms 34:18 says that He is near to those broken at heart and saves those crushed in spirit. He truly knows the pain you feel. He assures us at John 5:28 that a time will soon come when we will welcome back to our arms those we have lost. Know that time is very near. Allow God to comfort your soul until that day arrives. Please keep His promises close to your heart. I offer my deepest sympathies to your entire family.

S Ford - March 26, 2012 at 02:09 PM

TD

“ Very sorry for your loss. I know he will be very well missed.

Tom Delomas - March 26, 2012 at 10:53 AM

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“ My sympathy and prayers to "Skinny" family in the loss of their loved one. I pray and say as we have been doing now for centuries: "Eternal rest give to him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on him. May he rest in peace! May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace!"
Sincerely, Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock Retired Pastor of Saint Denis

Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock - March 25, 2012 at 08:31 PM