



Joseph Bernard "Benny" Schaffer

April 24, 1928 - May 17, 2019

Joseph Bernard (Benny) Schaffer, 91, passed away May 17, 2019, at his home in Crawfordville. Born April 24, 1928 in Cordia, Kansas, he was one of ten children raised on a farm. He served his country as a Medic in the U.S. Army during the Korean war. After moving to Tallahassee in 1957, he began working for the City of Tallahassee Electric Department, retiring in 1984. He is survived by his wife, of 68 years, Alida B. Roddenberry, four children, Ron Schaffer of Tallahassee, Brenda Williams (Greg), Linda Martindale (David) and Karen Lundberg (Rob), all of Crawfordville. He is survived by eight grandchildren, Brandy Schaffer, Erin Goeke (Brandon) of Tallahassee, Amy Twieg of Madison, Wisconsin, Sara Nordlof (Eric), Katie Peacock (Rob), of Crawfordville, David Martindale (Katie) of Tallahassee, Raina Nutting (Rob), and Kaci Granger of Crawfordville. Thirteen great grandchildren, Grayson Goeke, Brandon Twieg, Alex Twieg, Connor Twieg, Emily Krawczyk, Zack Nordlof, Justin Nordlof, Annika Nordlof, Adrian Peacock, Anna Peacock, Hayden Peacock, Sydney Kelly (Neil) and Allie Nutting., and one great great-grand child, Nora Kelly. He is also survived by one brother Richard Schaffer (Virginia) of Marion, Kansas, and two sisters, Charlene Decker of Salinas, Kansas and Dorothy Cavanagh of Cottonwood, Arizona. He is preceded in death by his parents Alex and Rosalia Schaffer, three brothers and three sisters. A funeral mass is scheduled for 2:00 pm on June 1, 2019 at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic church located at 3609 Coastal Highway (Hwy 98), with a reception to follow. The family wishes to extend a sincere thank

you to Big Bend Hospice for their care and assistance throughout his journey. In lieu of flowers, charitable donations may be made to Big Bend Hospice, 1723 Mahan Center Blvd, Tallahassee, FL 32308. David Conn of Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey Young Chapel in Crawfordville is assisting the family with arrangements. (850-926-3333 or www.bevisfh.com).

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

JUN 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

St Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church
3609 Coastal Highway
Crawfordville, FL 32327