

Harold “Keno” Strzyzewski, age 90 of Manistee, Michigan died Wednesday, August 15, 2012 at the Manistee County Medical Care Facility in Manistee.

He was born on July 4, 1922 in Filer Township Michigan son of the late Joseph and Elizabeth (Fausz) Strzyzewski. He served in the U.S. Army during WW II in the European African Middle Eastern Theatre from November 25, 1942 to April 12, 1945. Harold married Bernadine Mikula on May 5, 1945 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Manistee. She preceded him in death on June 27, 2012, after 67 years of marriage together. Harold & Bernadine owned and operated the Welcome In Restaurant in Filer City and later Harold was employed with Packaging Corporation of America for over 40 years until his retirement in 1984.

Harold enjoyed golfing, fishing, hunting and was a longtime member of the Manistee Golf & Country Club. He was a member of Saint Joseph Catholic Church where he was an usher for many years, life member of the B.P.O. Elks Lodge # 250, the Eagles Lodge Aerie #1765 all of Manistee

He is survived by one daughter: Patricia Jennings, one granddaughter: Melissa Jennings both of Lansing, MI, two sisters-in-law: Carolyn Mikula and Shirley Mikula both of Manistee, MI. Numerous nieces and nephews also survive her.

He was preceded in death by his wife Bernadine, a son John “Jack” Strzyzewski, his sister and brother in-law, Verna and William C. Minster, his brother and sister in-law, Claude and Gladys Strzyzewski and one brother-in-law, Raphael T. Mikula.

Mass from The Order of Christian Funerals will be celebrated on Monday, August 20, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Manistee with Reverend John McCracken celebrant. Burial will follow in Mount Carmel Cemetery also in Manistee.

The family will receive friends at the church on Monday from 10:00 a.m. until time of service.

Memorials have been established in Harold’s name for Saint Joseph Catholic Church, the Manistee County Medical Care Facility and Manistee Catholic Central Schools. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home and also at the church on Monday morning.

The Herbert Funeral Home of Manistee is in charge of funeral arrangements.