



# Leo Grotjan

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**L**eo D. Grotjan, 89, of Flagler Beach, FL. formerly of Decatur passed away on Saturday, January 12, 2013 in Palm Coast, FL.

Leo was born May 26, 1923 in Decatur, IL, the son of John and Zelma (Beals) Grotjan. Leo proudly served his country during World War II in the Pacific and again during the Korean conflict era. Leo retired from the railroad industry after 42 years of service.

Leo is survived by his loving wife Wilma; sons, Ron (Karen ) Grotjan of Winter Haven, FL., Don (Linda) Grotjan of Hixson, TN.; 9 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren, 2 great-great grandchildren, brother Lonnie (Mary) Grotjan of Decatur; step daughters, Alesia (Mitch) Bellak of West Palm Beach, FL., Joanne (Mike) Eppers of Wonder Lake, IL, and many other family members and friends.

In addition to his parents, Leo was preceded in death by his first wife Mary Elizabeth, daughter Florence, brother Leroy and grandson Ralph Douglas,

Services to celebrate Leo's life will be 11 a.m. Monday, January 21, 2013 at Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home. Visitation will be 1 hour before the service. Burial will be at Fairlawn Cemetery with Military Rites by the Macon County Honor Guard and conclude with the 'Flight Home Ceremony'. In lieu of flowers, please direct contributions to the Macon County Humane Society.

The family of Leo D. Grotjan is being served by Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home. Online condolences and memories may be shared with the family at

[www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com).



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DO

**Donna** posted:

Wilma....my thoughts and prayers are with you....I miss knowing I have the chance to see Mr. Grotjan from time to time...with you by his side always...from the day you both met to the day you both married....good stuff....the big man with the little lady...I love you both....best wishes...Donna Mynchenberg.

January 23 at 4:08 PM

CK

**Catherine Kraft** posted:

Dear Wilma and family,I send my heart felt sympathy to you at this time. May you have peace and strength through this difficult time. Would love to talk to you, Wilma. Please call if you have time.  
Katie Craft 468-2442

January 20 at 3:31 PM

DF

**David M. Freyling** posted:

Lit a candle in memory of Leo Grotjan

January 19 at 12:53 PM

WB

**William E . Beals** posted:

So sorry for your loss.We may not be able to make the service because of illness but our prayers are with you. Bill and Anna Mae Beals

January 19 at 5:45 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Leo by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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