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George Samuel Batorson, 93, of Decatur, died Monday, January 23, 2012 in St. Mary's Hospital.

Mr. Batorson was born March 12, 1918, in Plano, IL, son of Steven and Julia (Soba) Batorson. A WWII Army Veteran and member of Christ United Methodist Church, George worked as a grounds keeper for Staley's for 32 years retiring in 1982. He married Agnes Elaine Coling March 15, 1942 in St. Charles, IL.

Surviving are his wife of nearly 70 years, Elaine of Decatur; daughter, Julie (Doug) Pope of Decatur; son, Dennis Batorson of Decatur; eleven grandchildren, seventeen great grandchildren; sister, Margaret Devick of Yorkville; along with several nieces, nephews other relatives and friends.

Mr. Batorson was preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Rita; and seven brothers and sisters.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 26, 2012 from 9 am until the time of the service at 10 a.m. in Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home. Burial will follow in Graceland Cemetery concluding with the 'Flight Home' Ceremony. Memorials: Christ United Methodist Church.



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Wigglesworth posted:

I remember the fishing trips and how you taught me to catch "Crawldads"! The respect I have will never end, I always looked up to you! You're the head of the family and when you spoke, you were always heard, your words and opinion meant alot to us. The older generation in our family tells me that you lived a very blessed and wonderful, fulfilling life & it is sad to see it end! I will miss my pawpaw! I know Grief does not discriminate....STILL.. Your passing has suspended reality for all of us. We've all lost a friend, grandpa, husband, Father, brother and son and we're gonna take some time adjusting to that. We, after all, have to keep in mind who we are here to celebrate, and what he would have preferred.We will always cherish those memories of what now perhaps all we have left of him! In loving Memory Of George Batorson!

January 24 at 5:29 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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