



## Ernest W. Keen

March 1, 1927 - January 11, 2011

KNOX-Ernest W. Keen, 83, of Knox, IN formerly of Grovertown passed away Tuesday, January 11, 2011 in his home. Mr. Keen was born March 1, 1927 in Starke County, IN to Elmer and Dorothy (Hedges) Keen and lived in the area most of his life. On February 20, 1960 in Knox he was married to Juanita Ketcham who preceded him in death in 1989. He was also preceded in death by his parents, one great-grandson; one brother and three sisters. Survivors include three sons, Ernest (Della) Keen Jr. of Knox, Eric (Monica) Keen of Plymouth and Kevin Keen of Grovertown; one daughter, Chrystal (Jack) Hamman of Knox; twelve grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; one brother, Jessie Keen of Osceola and two sisters, Jeanette Rowe of Knox and Dora Mitchell of West Virginia.

Mr. Keen was a former employee of Precision Pallets in Walkerton. He served in the U.S. Merchant Marines during WWII. He was also a U.S. Army veteran, serving in the Korean Conflict.

Funeral services will be Friday, January 14, 2011 at 2:00 p.m. (Central Time) at Rannells Funeral Home, Hamlet Chapel. Burial will be at the Fletcher Cemetery, Hamlet. Friends may call Friday 11:00 a.m. until the time of services.

# Tribute Wall

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“ You are my grandpa and forever you will be, I miss u so much, I know this you can see. This all feels like a dream, but I guess this is how it feels, when you lose someone as great as you. Times are hard now but things will get better, because I know ur happy and that's even better. Now that your gone I know your doing good, finally being with grandma, just like you always wanted. Till the day I see you again, grandpa, may your heart be at ease. I love you so much, and may you please rest in peace (p.s. God, take care of him!)

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