



Hubert Roger Hensel

December 29, 1923 - March 3, 2018

Hubert "Hubie" R. Hensel, 94, of Fond du Lac, passed away peacefully at his home on Saturday, March 3, 2018.

He was born on December 29, 1923, in Lamartine, the son of Albert and Evia Hensel. He attended Fond du Lac High School and enlisted in the military serving in World War II as part of the 382nd Anti-Aircraft Artillery in the Philippines, New Guinea, South Pacific and Japan. He and his army buddies continued to connect through 45 years of reunions of which Hubert served as a committee member for all 45 years. He was also a lifetime member of the VFW. On August 30, 1947 he married Phyllis Bohlman at St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church in Fond du Lac. She preceded him in death on December 13, 2015. Hubert built their home on Seymour Street and resided there for 66 years until his passing.

Hubert was a member of St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church. He worked for Schenk Construction for 25 years and then opened his own business of Hensel Sharpening Service, which he continued into his early 80's.

He enjoyed bowling, watching TV and spending time with his family. Many countless wonderful nights and weekends were spent watching his daughter and son-in-law play softball and later became very active with his grandchildren and loved attending their special events and activities. As he

would say “those were the best years!” His funny sense of humor, loving heart and selflessness will never be forgotten.

He is survived by his daughter, Diane (Bob) Stangl of Ripon; four grandchildren: McKenzie, Shae, Mason and Tanner, all of Ripon; nieces and nephews; and special friend Kathy (Stewart) Kumber of California.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Phyllis; an infant son, Steven; and his brothers: Wilbur and Gerald Hensel; and his sisters: Dorothy Rymer and Gladys Vande Berg.

VISITATION: Friends may call on Wednesday, March 7, 2018, from 11:00 – 12:00 p.m. at Kurki-Mach Funeral Chapel, 31 East Division Street, Fond du Lac.

FUNERAL: Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, March 7, 2018, at 12:00 p.m. at Kurki-Mach Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Fred Toppe officiating. Burial will follow in Estabrooks Cemetery.

Memorials appreciated to St. Peter’s Ev. Lutheran Church.

Cemetery Details

Estabrooks Cemetery

Esterbrook Road
Fond du Lac, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 7. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Kurki Funeral Chapel & Crematory
31 E. Division Street
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Hubert Roger Hensel.*



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“ *Sweet Liberty was purchased for the family of Hubert Roger Hensel.*



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“ *Diane, Rob-Bob-Steve and kids...*

I don't think Hubie missed a single softball game; volleyball match; or bowling nightwhat a joy it was for Hubie and Phyllis to cheer us on. Those days may be gone but the memories of your parents will always live on. He was so proud of you all. We enjoyed his war stories - even when he thought you guys were in California :). Prayers and hugs to you.

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