



## Robert C. Schmidt

August 22, 1924 - December 17, 2021

Robert C. Schmidt died at home on December 17, 2021 at age 97.

He was born on August 22, 1924, to Clarence H. Schmidt and Elsie (Elsa) Zarbock Schmidt. Robert attended Winnebago Lutheran Academy and St. Peter's Lutheran Church.

One of his first jobs was working for Rueping Leather Co. where he met his future wife Dorothy Ormsby. After Robert returned from serving in the Army in WWII they rekindled their romance.

He served in the US Army during WWII from Feb. 23, 1943 until Dec. 4 1945. His final rank was T Sgt.

After the war Robert attended Ripon College where he earned a degree in Economics.

Robert and Dorothy were married at Presentation Church in North Fond du Lac, WI on November 12, 1949 and remained happily married for 69 until Dorothy's passing. They lived in many cities during their marriage while they raised their family and Robert worked in the insurance industry. They retired in Florida. Clermont was their final home.

Robert is survived and dearly missed by five children, Jacquelyn (James) Schmitt of Cottage Grove, WI, John (Pam) Schmidt of Oakland, FL, Carol (Jack) Liebzeit of Clintonville, WI, Brian (Patricia) Schmidt of Groveland, FL and Christine (Steve) Weber of Appleton, WI. He is also survived by 21 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents

His graveside service was held at Rienzi Cemetery in Fond du Lac WI.  
We thank Kurki Funeral and Chapel for their service.

# Cemetery Details

**Rienzi Cemetery**

Fond du Lac, WI