



Herbert J. "Herbie" Kohler

September 12, 1912 - January 24, 2011

Herbert J. "Herbie" Kohler, 98, of Wapakoneta, passed away 11:50 a.m., Mon. Jan. 24, 2011, at The Gardens of Wapakoneta. He was born Sept. 12, 1912, in Auglaize Co., the son of August "Gus" & Clara (Puthoff) Kohler, who preceded him in death. On May 21, 1941, he married Dora P. Brown, and she died April 14, 2000. Survivors include, 3 sons, John F. (Darlene) Kohler, Paulding, OH, James E. (Karen) Kohler, Wapakoneta, Francis M. Kohler, Weston, OH, 5 grandchildren, Michael Kohler, Sheryl Honaker, Theresa Kohler Fagella, Rodney Kohler & Timothy Kohler, 5 Great Grandchildren, Erik, Emily, & Angela Honaker, Anna Fagella, Aidyn Kohler, a brother, Paul A. Kohler, Wapakoneta. He was preceded in death by a sister, Anna Kohler. Herbert was a farmer and a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta. He was also a member of the Auglaize Co. Farm Bureau and was a former board member of the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery Assn. Throughout his life, Herbert had a true love of farming. It was through his life of farming, that he made life long friends of the community. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Mon. Jan. 31, 2011, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta, Rev. Harold Brown officiating. Burial is to follow in the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery. The family will receive friends 2-4 & 6-8 p.m., Sun. Jan. 30, 2011, at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta. Memorial contributions may be directed to the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery or to The Gardens of Wapakoneta.

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“ *Herbert's passing brings back a lot of wonderful memories of life around the farm. Although I had not seen Herbie for many years, the picture you chose to post reflects just how I remember him. He was a kind man.*

Ellen (Kah) Nord - July 10, 2015 at 03:58 PM

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“ *FOR ALL OF HERBIE'S FAMILY, I JUST WANTED TO LET YOU KNOW, WHAT A WONDERFUL DOWN-TO-EARTH PERSON, HERBIE WAS, VERY CONSIDERATE OF OTHERS, HE WILL BE SADLY MISSED.*

CHARLOTTE WILLIAMS - July 10, 2015 at 03:58 PM

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“ *I met Herbie at The Gardens during the time my father (Robert Carmean) was a resident there. They were "tablemates" during meals. I truly enjoyed visiting with him as he was always kind, engaging in conversation, and very much a gentleman. My deepest sympathy to his family and loved ones.*

Linda Carmean - July 10, 2015 at 03:58 PM