



Robert E. Keiber

July 11, 1925 - November 23, 2014

Robert E. "Bob" Keiber, 89, of Wapakoneta, died 6:34 a.m., Nov. 23, 2014, at the Wapakoneta Manor. He was born July 11, 1925, in Auglaize Co., the son of Earl William & Hazel (Wellington) Keiber, who preceded him in death. On March 27, 1948, he married Billie L. Wolfe, and she survives. Other survivors include, a daughter, Nancy (Don) Hinkle, Lima; 3 grandchildren, Jennifer (Bill) Wapplehorst, Wapakoneta, Dustin Hinkle, and Darren (Amy) Hinkle, both of Lima; a great grandson, Dallan Robert Hinkle; 2 sisters-in-law, June Keiber, Wapakoneta, and Margaret "Peg" (Robert) Walti, Waynesfield, several nieces & nephews, and a lifelong Air Force friend of 72 years, Lindsey Lina, VA. He was preceded in death by a brother, Ned. Robert worked as a lay-out engineer with Westinghouse Corp., Lima, for 20 years. He later worked as assistant director of operations at St. Rita's Medical Center, Lima. He was a veteran of the United States Army Air Corps, where he served as a 2nd Lieutenant and pilot during W.W. II. A 1943 graduate of Blume High School, Bob was a 1949 graduate of Miami University with a degree in aeronautical engineering. He was also a member of the Hamer Lodge #167, F. & A.M., Wapakoneta. He enjoyed growing and caring for roses, and in his younger years he enjoyed taking his grandchildren on trips. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Wed. Nov. 26, 2014 at the St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Wapakoneta, with Pastor Mark Bauer officiating. Burial is to follow in the Resthaven Memory Gardens, near Moulton, with military rites by the Wapakoneta V.F.W. Post #8445. The family will receive friends from 2-4 & 6-8

p.m., Tues. at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home and Cremations Services, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, where a Masonic memorial service will be 8:00 p.m. Memorial contributions may be directed to the St. Mark's Lutheran Church or Macular Degeneration Research

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“ November 25, 2014 Billie and family, our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Bob was the kindest gentleman we know. With our love, Gary and Pat Gibson

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