



William J. "Bill" Sr. Mosimann

May 23, 2008

William J. "Bill" Mosimann Sr., age 87, of Gravois Mills, known by friends as the Grouch, passed away Friday evening, May 23, 2008 at his home. He was born November 18, 1920 in Kansas City, Missouri, the son of Albert T. and Lillie Mae Dickason Mosimann.

A World War II veteran he proudly enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Corp on December 8, serving his country for 3 ½ years in the South Pacific as a Com Officer. He was an electrical engineer for Kansas City Power and Light for 34 years prior to his retirement in 1983 as superintendent of Transportation and Distribution. He was a member of the Professional Engineers, the Century Club of KCP&L, the Wyandotte Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite, Ararat Shrine Temple, North Shore Shrine Club, Osage Community Elks Lodge #2705 in Laurie and the American Legion Zack Wheat Post #624 in Sunrise Beach.

He is survived by his wife, E.L. "Betty" Mosimann of the home; two sons, William Mosimann and wife Cathy, Topeka, KS, and Christopher Mosimann and wife Deborah, Leawood, KS; one stepson, David Bowers and wife Melissa, Buffalo, MO; two stepdaughters, Debra Bowers of Atlanta, GA, and Sharon Milleret, K.C., MO; one brother, James Mosimann and wife Jean, Leawood, KS; two grandchildren, five step grandchildren, four step great-grandchildren, many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by one son, Craig Mosimann, one brother Albert Mosimann Jr., and one sister

Lillie Mae Budimlija.

Visitation will be from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, May 31, at the Kidwell-Garber Laurie-Sunrise Beach Chapel in Laurie, followed by memorial services at 11:30 a.m. Military honors will follow memorial services. Sympathy condolences may be sent online at www.kidwellgarber.com. In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial contributions to the Shriners Hospitals for Children, North Shore Shrine Club, or Osage Community Elks Lodge #2705. Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Laurie.