



Donald Pretzsch

March 1, 1925 - December 29, 2009

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1925-2009

Memorial service for Donald Pretzsch, age 84 of Princeton, will be Saturday, Jan 09, 2010 at 11:00 AM at the Norberg Memorial Home. Rev. Bea Hoover-Mulvany and Rev. Barbara Ollila will officiate. Burial be private and at a later date. The family will receive friends on Saturday, Jan 09, 2010 from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM at the Norberg Memorial Home.

Donald Pretzsch passed away on Tuesday, Dec 29, 2009 at Perry Memorial Hospital. He was born on Mar 01, 1925 in Crossville, IL to Fred and Violet (Slankard) Pretzsch. He married Betty Jo Kornegger in 1950. He graduated from the University of Illinois and worked for U.S. Department of Agriculture as District Conservationist for the Bureau County Soil and Water Conservation District. After retirement in 1983 he established Pretzsch Agriculture Services, a farm appraisal and management business. He was a Navy Veteran of WWII, serving on the U.S.S. Wasp in the Pacific Theatre. He was active in restoration of native prairie grass areas in Bureau County and northern Illinois. He was a member of the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers, Bureau County Natural Area Guardians, The Nature Conservancy, and the Bureau County Farm Bureau.

Donald is survived by his wife of Princeton and two sons, Ed (Judy) of Falls Church, VA and Tim (Dona) of Evanston, IL. Also surviving are two sisters Nola Blanton of St. Louis, MO and Carol young of Lawrenceville, IL and several cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Memorials may be directed to the Illinois Chapter of The Nature Conservancy.

Cemetery Details

Private and at a later date