



Robert L. Nelson

August 22, 1918 - March 19, 2016

Robert Nelson

1918-2016

Funeral service for Robert Nelson, age 97 of Princeton, will be Wednesday, March 23, 2016 at 11:00 am at the Norberg Memorial Home in Princeton. Pastor Norman Femrite will officiate. Burial will follow in the Oakland Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, March 23, 2016 from 10:00 to 11:00 am.

Robert Nelson passed away on Saturday, Mar 19, 2016 at Colonial Rehab and Nursing Center in Princeton. He was born on Aug 22, 1918 in Arlington, IL to Fred and Mabel (Fahlberg) Nelson. He graduated from Princeton High School in 1936. He married Marilyn Krapff on Aug 17, 1940 in Iowa. She survives. He farmed all of his life until his retirement. He was a member of the First Lutheran Church in Princeton, which his great grandparents were founding members. Robert enjoyed playing cards and loved to fish in Canada and Wisconsin.

He is survived by his loving wife of 75 years, one son, Larry (Linda) Nelson of Princeton; two daughters, Linda (Ken) Saal of Princeton, Lori (Rick) Topolski of Streator; seven grandchildren, Cathleen, Donald and Robert Nelson, Colleen Nickelsen, Carol Carroll, Cheryl Daniels and Robert Sharisky. Also

surviving are 17 great grandchildren and 13 great great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Everett and Russell Nelson; one sister, Betty Nelson Cook; two granddaughters, Sharon Wilson and one in infancy; and one son in-law, James Sharisky.

Memorials may be directed to First Lutheran Church of Princeton.

Online condolences may be left at www.norbergfh.com

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

Park Avenue
Princeton, IL 61356