

William R. Patterson

Birth: Sep. 13, 1920

Death: Aug. 3, 2003

William R. Patterson, aged 82, of Greenville passed away late Sunday morning, August 3, 2003 at Quality Foster Care Home in Greenville. The son of Merslo and Elizabeth (Bowen) Patterson, he was born on September 13, 1920 in Jackson. On May 2, 1942, in Grand Rapids, he married the former Lucille E. Anderson. A Veteran of World War II, he served with the U.S. Army in the Pacific theatre and had been a member of the American Legion Post in Belding. Bill retired from Greenville Public Schools where he had worked in maintenance. He enjoyed camping and traveling and was a member of St. Charles Catholic Church. He was preceded in death by his parents; two infant daughters, Susan Elizabeth and Joy Theresa; two brothers, Jack and M.J.; and two sisters, Jean and Catherine. Surviving are his wife of 61 years, Lucille E. Patterson of Greenville; three sons and a daughter-in-law, Steven W. Patterson of Greenville, David E. and Marta Patterson of Trufant, and Michael J. Patterson of Greenville; a sister, Wilamae Cullinane of Grand Rapids; two step-granddaughters, Kasey and Amy; four great grandchildren, Aubriana, Vincent, Gage, and Braiden; and several nieces and nephews. The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, August 6, 2003 at St. Charles Catholic Church, with the Rev. Father Phil Salmonowicz officiating. Burial will follow at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery, Belding.

Family links:

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