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Racine, WI

382nd Inf Co L

Harvey E. Glaess, 84, went home to be with his Lord and Savior Monday, July 13, 2009. He was born July 21, 1925, in Forest Park, Ill., to Alfred and Louise (nee: Zutz) Glaess. Harvey married H. Joyce Anderson in 1957 in Chicago, Ill.

Harvey was selected to the Army Specialized Training Program when he volunteered for the United States Army upon graduating from high school in 1943 and achieving high enough scores when tested. However, due to the need for manpower in anticipation of the invasion of Europe and the war against Japan, he was assigned as an infantry Private to Company L, 382nd Regiment of the 96th Infantry Division, and was part of the initial wave of the invasion of the Philippines in Leyte, where he was critically wounded while scouting for his squad. He spent over a year recuperating. In recognition of his service, Harvey received the Purple Heart and Bronze Star.

Harvey graduated from Loyola University in Chicago, Ill. with a Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics and Philosophy in 1950. In 1951, he received his Master of Arts in Mathematics. Harvey worked for Armor Research Foundation of the Illinois Institute of Technology. Harvey was Professor of Mathematics and head of the Math Department at Carthage College from 1959 until 1989.

Harvey is survived by his wife of 52 years, Joyce; his five children, Harvey (Pattey), David (Juli), Caroline (Tom), Stephanie (David) and JD; 15 grandchildren, Kelsey, Emil, Stacey, Andrew, Allison, Edward, David, Kaesey, Grace, Zachary, Christopher, Katherine, Caroline, Jessica, and Jonathan; his brother, Alfred; his sister, Evelyn; and many nieces, nephews, and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Wilbur; and daughter-in-law, Teri (JD).

The Funeral service will be held at Holy Cross Lutheran Church on Friday, July 17, 2009, at 10:30 a.m. Interment will be held July 21, 2009, at 9 a.m. at the Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Union Grove. Burial will be with full Military Honors. Visitation will be held at the church on Friday from 9 a.m. until the Funeral service. No flowers please. Memorials may be sent to Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots or Racine Lutheran High School. PURATH-STRAND FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATORY 3915 Douglas Avenue 639-8000 www.purath-strand.com