

CONRAD STEINWEG

Conrad A. Steinweg, 92, of Reedsburg, was called home by his Lord and Savior on Monday, March 9, 2015 at St. Clare Hospice House in Baraboo.

He was born April 15, 1922, the son of Albert A. and Lydia M. (Meyer) Steinweg. Conrad was born and raised in Reedsburg and raised his family there. He was a decorated World War II veteran who proudly served his country in the United States Army from November 1942 through February 1946. He was a recipient of the Purple Heart.

On May 29, 1954, Conrad was united in marriage to Joan M. Brimmer at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Reedsburg. This marriage was blessed with two children. Conrad was employed as a purchasing agent at Hankscraft, Reedsburg, for many years. He was a life-long member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, a member of the Reedsburg American Legion Post No. 350, VFW Post No. 1916 and the Reedsburg Historical Society. He enjoyed sharing his military experiences with schoolchildren and participating in veterans' services and programs in our local community and beyond. He made it his mission to ensure every veteran had a flag on his/her grave each year on Memorial Day. Conrad also enjoyed repurposing found items and was a reliable handyman for seniors who needed assistance.

Conrad was preceded in death by his wife; parents; great-granddaughter, Aurora Steinweg; brothers and sisters, Alma (Louie) Rolfsmeyer, Bruno (Virginia) Steinweg, Ruth (Walter, Lorenz) Krueger/Droes, Henry Steinweg, Ernst Steinweg, Albert Steinweg, Lydia (Jerry, Wilber) Bernhard/Capener; brother-in-law, Ray Peper.

Conrad is survived by his son, Thomas (Robin) Steinweg; daughter, Jane Steinweg; grandsons, Christopher Henderson, David Steinweg, Aaron Henderson, Brian (Veronica) Steinweg; sisters and brother, Dorothea Peper, Carl Steinweg, Louise Lange; sister-in-law, Margie Steinweg; many nieces; nephews; along with other relatives; and friends. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday, March 15, 2015 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Reedsburg, with Pastor Paul Crolius officiating. Burial will follow in St. Peter's Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 4-8 p.m. Saturday at Farber Funeral Home, Reedsburg, and from 1 p.m. until the time of service Sunday at the church. Memorials may be made to St. Peter's Lutheran Church, American Legion Post No. 350, VFW Post No. 1916, or the charity of your choice in Conrad's memory.

A special thank you to St. Clare Hospice House staff for the wonderful care given to Conrad in his last days.