



William A. Keller

April 28, 2010

William A. Keller Age 87, of Hamilton died Wednesday, April 28, 2010 at Hillandale Health Care. He was born March 21, 1923 in Hamilton the son of Albert and Mary (Smith) Keller. He served in the US Army during WWII serving in Europe, Africa and part of D Day Invasion at Utah Beach serving from February 4, 1943 to November 29, 1945. He married Helen JoAnn Himmelhaver on June 14, 1946 in Hamilton. He was employed by Diebold Company as a welder for 39 years retiring in 1984 and a clarinet and saxophone teacher for 40 years. He was a member of Grace United Methodist Church and was very active in their music program. He was a member of the VFW Post #1069 in Fairfield. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, JoAnn; two daughters, Beverly Harrison (Elby) of Forest Park, Ohio and Mary Jo Sams (David) of Hamilton; four grandchildren, Andrea Harrison, Jeff Harrison (Tonya), Michael Sams (fiancée Kari), Rachel Schott (Johnny); four great grandchildren, Sarah, Billy, Emma and Keller. He was preceded in death by his parents, a brother, John Keller; two sisters, Helen Skalley and Alberta Moeller. Funeral service will be Saturday, May 1, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. at Weigel Funeral Home, 980 NW Washington Blvd., Hamilton, OH. with Pastor Elby Harrison and Rev. Robert Ingram officiating. Burial will be at Greenwood Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday, April 30, 2010 from 5-8 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials maybe directed to representative Churches or Hospice of S. W. Ohio, 7625 Camargo Road, Suite 200, Cincinnati, OH 45243.