



Edward Jacob Heilman

April 24, 1930 - January 8, 2015

Edward Jacob Heilman (84) of Toppenish passed away on Thursday January 8, 2015 in Toppenish. He was born in Toppenish on April 24, 1930 to Joseph and Rosina (Schnellbach) Heilman. Edward was raised and educated in Toppenish and he served in the U.S. Navy. In July 1949 he married Violet Olivieri in Toppenish and they lived in California where Edward worked as a truck driver and a leverman on a dredge in the Bay area. He retired in the late 1970's after 30 years and they moved back to Toppenish where he went to work for R.H. Bowles as a truck driver/serviceman taking care of the gas pumps in the Yakima Valley. Ed was a member of St. Aloysius Catholic Church and was a 60 year Eagle member. He enjoyed spending time outdoors hunting, fishing and camping. Mr. Heilman is survived by his wife, Violet of Toppenish; a daughter, Roseanna (Ray) Thompson of Discovery Bay, CA; one grandson, Jason (Yvonne) Thompson and their children, Camden and Brooklyn; a brother, Lawrence Heilman of Baluga River, AK; four sisters, Teresa Atherton of Seattle, Isabelle Weeks of Ellensburg, Eva Young of Quincy and Delores Thomas of Toppenish. Recitation of the rosary will be Sunday January 11, 2015 at Colonial Funeral Home at 4PM. Mass of Christian Burial will be on Monday January 12, 2015 at St. Aloysius Catholic Church. Friends can send condolences at www.toppenishfunerals.com. Colonial Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Jacob Heilman*

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