

Edward Henry Sr., 88

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Funeral Mass was held at 10 a.m. on Feb. 16 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Brooklyn. Father Brian Shepley of St. Patrick's Catholic Church officiated. Marilyn Kriegel was the organist. Casketbearers were Jeffrey Henry, Gary Henry, Brent Flander, Alexis Ojeda, J.D. Henry, Jason Henry, Shannon Henry, and Wesley Henry. Honorary casket bearers were Marcella Shifflett, Sharon Henry, Jennifer Henry, Elizabeth Stoker, Michelle Johnston, and Danielle Merena. Interment was at Calvary Cemetery, Brooklyn.

Memorials may be made to the Barnes City American Legion.

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Ed served in World War II from 1942 to 1945. When he returned from the service he farmed near Brooklyn and Barnes City until 1993. In 1984, Edward and Josephine moved from the farm to Barnes City. He was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Fuller-Sarvis American Legion Post No. 507 at Barnes City, and the Barnes City Ruritans.

Edward is survived by his wife Josephine; Edward of Montezuma, Charles and Beverley of Deep River, Donald and Janice of Montezuma, David of Barnes City, Barbara and Roger Flander of Grinnell, Donna Conklin of Orlando, Fla., Nancy Henry of Villa Rica, Ga., Agnes Henry and Jeff Martin of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Michael and Diane of Barnes City; fourteen grandchildren, Marcella and Randy Shifflett of Montezuma, Liz and Dave Stoker of Guernsey, Jeff (Bud) and Ann Henry of St. Paul, Minn., Jonathan (J.D.) and Krystal Henry of Virginia Beach, Va., Gary Henry and friend, Sarah Streeper of Deep River, Jason and Jessica Henry of Tipton, Brent and Kimberley Flander of Grinnell, Sharon Henry of Colorado Springs, Colo., Michelle and Lance Johnston of Ames, Shanon Henry and Nicole Moreau of Inver Grove Heights, Minn., Alexis Ojeda of Orlando, Fla., Jennifer Henry of Barnes City, Wesley Henry of Barnes City, and Danielle Merena of Orlando, Fla.; four great-grandchildren, Dakota Henry of Tipton, Zachary Henry of Deep River, Emmalee Henry of Tipton, and Natalie Henry of St. Paul, Minn.; his brother and wife, Lauren and Mabel Henry of Montezuma; his sisters-in-law, Jean Henry of Brooklyn, and Wilma Henry of Mansfield, Texas; and many nieces and nephews.

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