Wayne Roland Baustian

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Funeral services were Friday, October 20, 2000 at Watts Funeral Home, Montezuma.

Pastor Audrey Westendorf, United Methodist Church, Guerńsey officiated.

Honorary casket bearers were Dylan Eichhorn and Jackson Eichhorn. Military graveside rites were held by members of the Morrison-Schrader Legion Pot No. 296, Deep River, Iowa.

Interment was at Golden Rod Cemetery, Deep River.

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Baustian. He graduated from Deep River High School in 1941. In March 1943 he joined the Army and served in the Mediterranean Theater with the 319th Bomb Group as a radio operator and gunner. He was honorably discharged in October 1945.

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purchased a garage in Guernsey and Wayne drove the Standard Oil tank truck. From 1972 to 1976 they lived in Deep River, where Wayne was the Standard Oil Agent. They returned to Guernsey and Wayne worked as a cashier for several years at Dickey's near Malcom. He was a member of the Guernsey United Methodist Church and the Morrison-Schrader American Legion Post No. 296 at Deep River.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Gerald (Dode) and Marion (Bud); and his son Steven who died early Wednesday morning of Lou Gehrig's disease.

Wayne is survived by his wife, Irene of the care center in Marengo, Iowa; a daughter and her husband, Patricia A. and Roger Griffith of Malcom, a son David W. Baustian of Guernsey, Iowa; two grandchildren, Amy Jo and her husband, John Eichhorn of Malcom and J.D. Griffith of Malcom; two great grandchildren, Dylan Jeffrey and Jackson Wayne; a step-grandson, Cameron John Eichhorn; a brother, Lorraine (Magee) and his wife, Marilyn of Deep River; and other relatives and many friends.

Wayne Roland Baustian 130 Oct. 25,2000

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