



Joseph "Joe" Vyzral

May 7, 1914 - April 22, 2011

Joseph "Joe" Anton Vyzral, 96, of Stevensville, passed away early Friday, April 22, 2011, at his home in Stevensville.

Funeral services celebrating his life will be held at 11:00 A.M., on Wednesday, April 27, at the Stevensville United Methodist Church, 5506 Ridge Road, in Stevensville with Rev. Gordon Barry officiating. Burial will follow at Lincoln Township Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 5:00 until 7:00 P.M., Tuesday, at the Dey-Florin Funeral Home, 2506 Niles Ave., in St. Joseph. Memorials may be made to either Lakeland Hospice or to a charity of the donor's choice. Messages of condolence may be sent to www.florin.net.

Joe was born on May 7, 1914, in Chicago, to Anton and Anna Vyzral. His father died when Joe was 14 years old, so he traveled the states of Illinois and Indiana as a farm boy. He was later employed at the Carson Pirie Scott department store at the age of 19. Joe married Lucille Clark on August 10, 1935 in Chicago in a Methodist pastor's home. Joe worked for the Chicago Surface (streetcar) Lines, Hays Freight Lines, and Foote Gear Machine Company in Chicago. Upon moving to Michigan, he locally was employed at the Whirlpool Corporation for 28 years. Joe enjoyed gardening and later worked at Coloma Flowers as a delivery person. Soon after that he worked for Lincoln Township Library and also at D&W Grocery Store. Joe volunteered at the St. Joseph – Lincoln Senior Center for 18 years and also at the

Stevensville United Methodist Church, where he was a member for 35 years, as a gardener. He managed the Whirlpool softball team for 10 years. Joe was past-president of the American Rose Society.

Joe is survived by his wife Lucille; daughter, Darlene; five grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and by two great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Joe is preceded in death by his daughter, Sharon; one brother; and two sisters.

Cemetery Details

Lincoln Township Cemetery

5055 St. Joseph Avenue
Stevensville, MI 49127

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 26. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Dey-Florin Chapel of Florin Funeral Service - Closed 2013
2506 Niles Avenue
St. Joseph, MI 49085
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Service

APR 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

Stevensville United Methodist Church
5506 Ridge Rd.
Stevensville, MI

Tribute Wall

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“ *Guinn Hill lit a candle in memory of Joseph "Joe" Vyzral*



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A great friend and advisor.....Ill work with him another day in a greater place.....Days are so limited....But the respect I had for him is so massive....I know he will build a industry in heaven ...GOD bless those who mourn his passing.....See you again soon, Joe.....

Guinn Hill - April 25, 2011 at 07:01 PM