



Theodore LaFaber

July 19, 1925 - July 27, 2015

Theodore "Ted" LaFaber, 90, of Kankakee passed away on Monday July 27, 2015 at his home in Limestone Township. Ted was born July 19, 1925 in St. Anne, IL to Arthur and Dorabell (Wright) LaFaber. He married Ann MacDonald on June 22, 1957 in Oak Forest, IL.

Ted served in the U.S Navy from 1943-1946 as an Aviation Machinist Mate 3rd class earning several medals during his tour of duty. After returning home from serving his country he became a licensed hearing instrument audiologist. He later became board certified in hearing instrument sciences. In 1958 he started his own business on S. Schuyler Ave, the Beltone Hearing Aid Center. He later moved the business to W. Court St and eventually passed the business along in 2009 to his daughter and son-in-law who currently operate it in Bourbonnais as the Audibel Center for Hearing Excellence.

Survivors include; his wife of Limestone Twnsp, two Daughters and Sons-in-law; Cheryl (Jim) Webber of Limestone, Nancy (Jerry) Bertrand of Aroma Twnsp, one Son and Daughter-in-law; Ted (Dinah) LaFaber of Bourbonnais, eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers: Ralph and Richard LaFaber, three sisters: Mable LaFaber, Mary Greep and Clara Boomsma. Private Family Services were held at Schreffler Funeral Home, Kankakee Chapel.

Please sign his guestbook at www.schrefflerfuneralhomes.com

Tribute Wall



“ Theodore LaFaber

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ The passing of Uncle Ted came to me from another relative and served notice that a page in family history has been turned. Ted was the last of the generation of LaFabers that included my mother, Mary (LaFaber) Greep. I don't recall the exact year I last saw Ted, but it has to be well over 50 years. I always knew Uncle Ted to be the quiet, unassuming, and gentle person that I feel he truly was. His spirit lives on, as it always has, and our memories of him will always be cherished. My wife and I extend our thoughts and prayers to Ted's family and to one of God's children who has returned to His comforting embrace. Peace and love.

Larry and Linda Greep
Vancouver, WA

Larry Greep - August 06, 2015 at 11:42 AM



“ Your family has our sympathy at this difficult time.

Joe and Carol Fritz - July 31, 2015 at 06:36 AM



“ Sending my sympathy to Ann and the rest of the family. I worked with Ted and Ann as their Realtor for many years and enjoyed our friendship. I am so sorry for your loss. I pray that your family will find peace at this difficult time. Kathy Hall-Roy

Kathy Hall-Roy - July 30, 2015 at 07:56 PM

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“ I cherish some wonderful memories of spending a part of my life with Ted, Ann, and Cheryl. First, my prayers and thoughts are with your family. I'll remember him as quiet, worthy of respect, always thankful to God, and with a sense of humor.

Working at Beltone, I was always treated with respect and humor, once tested with a "no hand" handshake. I went to church and meals with the family and never felt out of place, even when enjoying a "parking lot donut".

While working at Riverside and taking clients to the YMCA to exercise, Ted would always say hello, and give support to me and my clients. I wonder how many laps Ted did there.

I always felt a strong, loving Christian presence when with Ted, Ann, Cheryl, and Jim. I am thankful for these friendships and memories, and I know you have more that will help you through this tough time. God Bless. Scott Weedon

scott weedon - July 30, 2015 at 05:23 PM

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My sympathies to the family. My mom sent me the obituary since I haven't lived in the area for quite a few years. Ted was such a nice person and I will always have fond memories of him. Prayers for the family.

Tammi (Dutour) Aldrich
Waterloo, Iowa

Tammi Aldrich - July 30, 2015 at 07:05 PM