



Rudolph Edwin "Rudy" Kaster Jr.

April 11, 1927 - May 3, 2016

Rudolph E. "Rudy" Kaster Jr, 89, of Bloomington, passed away on May 3, 2016 at his residence in Bloomington surrounded by his loving family. He was born on April 11, 1927 in Louisville, KY the son of Rudolph E. and Pauline R. (Sanders) Kaster Sr.

Rudy was a 1945 Graduate of Du Pont Manual High School in Louisville, KY. He was a U.S. Army Veteran serving in WWII and was sent to Yale University to study the Japanese language before he was honorably discharged in 1946. Rudy was a 1950 Graduate of Purdue University with a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering. Rudy married Harriet Louise Cunningham on October 3, 1953 in Louisville, KY. He worked for General Electric in Bloomington for 37 years before retiring in 1986, after retiring he spent time raising money for the Shriners Hospital for Children. He enjoyed golfing, swimming, Reds baseball, and crossword puzzles. He was an Eagle Scout and later he served as Boy Scout Troop Leader. Rudy loved his family and lived for spending time with his family and friends.

He was a member of the United Presbyterian Church in Bloomington, Monroe County Masonic Lodge #22 F&AM, York and Scottish Rite, Murat Shrine, Stonebelt Shrine Club, American Legion Post #18, Elks Club #446, and he was a Kentucky Colonel.

Rudy is survived by his children, Leslie Gayle Kaster, and Rudolph E. "Rudy" (Nancy Dillard) Kaster III both of Bloomington, and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife Harriet L. Cunningham Kaster, and one brother John V. Kaster Sr.

A funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Monday May 9, 2016, at Allen Funeral Home and Crematory 4155 S. Old State Road 37, with Rev. Mitch Coggin officiating. Visitation will be Monday 11:00 a.m. to service time at the funeral home; burial will follow at Clear Creek Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family ask that memorial contributions may be made in Rudy's memory to United Presbyterian Church or Shriners Hospital for Children in Lexington KY www.shrinershospitalforchildren.org You are invited to share a memory or leave an online condolence to the family at www.allencares.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 9. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory
4155 S. Old State Road 37
Bloomington, IN 47401
(812) 824-5905
<http://www.allencares.com>

Service

MAY 9. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Rudolph Edwin "Rudy" Kaster Jr..*



May 08, 2016 at 07:11 PM



“ *Sincerest Sorrow - All Pink was purchased for the family of Rudolph Edwin "Rudy" Kaster Jr..*



May 08, 2016 at 08:20 AM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – Purple was purchased for the family of Rudolph Edwin "Rudy" Kaster Jr..*



May 05, 2016 at 09:30 AM