

CHARLES V. ICE

Sept. 27, 1917 - May 31, 2005

PERU -- Charles V. Ice, 87, 820 W. 3rd St., Peru, died 9:17 a.m. Tuesday, May 31, 2005, at Dukes Memorial Hospital. He was born Sept. 27, 1917, in St. Marys, Ohio, a son of Elmer O. and Clara (Metherd) Ice. On Sept. 28, 1940, he married Maryhelen Riley and she survives.

He was an Army/Air Force veteran of World War II, serving in the European Theatre of Operations and was a flight engineer on the B-24 Bombers, 454th Bombardment Group. He retired from the quality control department of Fisher Body in 1982. He was also a farmer.

He was a member of Chili United Methodist Church and served on the North Miami School Board.

Surviving with his wife are a son, Steven and wife Sharon Ice, Peru; three grandchildren, Angela and husband Richard Blanford, Plainfield, Craig and wife Kathy Conrad, Warsaw, and Andrea and husband Chad Wilkison, Peru; and three great-grandchildren, Alec Blanford, James Wilkison and Derek Grahl. He was preceded in death by both parents; one brother, Merle Ice; one sister, Melba Ward; and one daughter, Connie Conrad.

Services are 11 a.m. Saturday at Flowers-Leedy Funeral Home, 105 W. Third St., Peru, with the Rev. J. Robert Clark officiating. Burial will be in Galveston Cemetery with a Military Committal Service. Calling is 4 to 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Chili United Methodist Church through the funeral home.

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