



Lester R. Hess

May 17, 1916 - January 2, 2012

Lester R. Hess, 95, of Elizabethtown went home to be with the Lord on Monday, January 2, 2012, at the Rheems Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. He was the husband of the late Martha S. Snyder Hess who passed away on September 8, 2005. Born in Mt. Joy on May 17, 1916, he was the son of the late Abram and Esther Earhart Hess. For 20 years he was a farmer in the Elizabethtown area and then he retired after 30 years as the owner and operator of Lester R. Hess Builders in Elizabethtown. Following retirement he and his wife moved to Hobe Sound, FL where he was a member of the Hobe Sound Bible Church. He is survived by his sons Dale husband of Kathy Hess of Orrville, OH and Larry husband of Darlene Hess of Elizabethtown; daughters Lois wife of Rev. Barry Arnold of Lebanon, Joyce wife of Rev. Daryl Kuhns of Mt. Pleasant Mills, Donna wife of Dan Fritz of Middleburg and Karen wife of Kent Brown of Hobe Sound, FL; a brother Clair Hess of Caledonia, MI and 17 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brother Ken Hess. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 7, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at the Lebanon God's Missionary Church, 2127 Hill St., Lebanon, PA. Viewing will take place on Friday evening from 6-8 PM at the church and one hour prior to the service on Saturday. Interment will be at the Crossroads Brethren in Christ Church Cemetery, Mt. Joy. Kreamer & Lum Funeral Home & Crematory, Jonestown, is handling the arrangements. www.kreamerlumfh.com

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