



Richard Edward Aurentz

November 25, 1926 - October 26, 2015

Richard Edward Aurentz, 88, of Annville, Pa passed away on October 26, 2015 at the Lebanon VA Medical Center. He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Marinkov Aurentz, in 2012, who was his sweetheart since the age of 15.

Richard was born on November 25, 1926 in Lebanon, PA. He was a graduate of Lebanon High School, class of 1944. Richard served in the US Navy during World War II and the Korean War. He then drove a school bus for the Cedar Crest School District for 20 years, served as a policeman for the city of Lebanon, and later retired from the US Post Office as a postman. Even after retirement Richard continued to work driving a milk truck for Wengert's Dairy for many years. Richard was a member of the Lebanon VFW, the Annville American Legion, and Covenant United Methodist Church, where he also served as an usher for many years. Richard enjoyed bowling, playing card games, especially pinochle, and listening to music.

Richard was the son on the late George and Edna Potteiger Aurentz. He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Craig and Wendy Aurentz of Herndon, VA, their two children, Corey and Kiersten Aurentz; his brother, Russell Aurentz, his sister Evelyn Aurentz, both of Lebanon, PA, and many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his siblings, George Aurentz, Mary Zimmerman, and Christine Herr.

A graveside service will be held at Indiantown Gap National Cemetery on Monday, November 2 at 11:00am, with Chaplain Galle officiating. Family and

friends are welcome to attend. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Covenant United Methodist Church, 346 N 9th St, Lebanon, PA 17046.