



## Robert Earl Klinger

October 23, 1934 - August 7, 2010

Robert Earl Klinger, 75, of Butler, PA, formerly of Arizona, passed away at 8:10 AM on Saturday, August 7, 2010 at Good Samaritan Hospice Unit.

He was born October 23, 1934 in Butler, PA, the son of the late Earl David Klinger and the late Mary Marguerite (Beggs) Klinger.

Robert was a U.S. Army veteran. He retired after 35 years as bookstore manager at the American Graduate School of International Management and was a partner in the accounting firm of Rochford & Associates in Phoenix, Arizona. While in Phoenix, Bob was an active member for many years in the Lions Club of Arizona. After moving back to Butler, he was a member of Hill United Presbyterian Church. Bob enjoyed hunting and cooking, but most of all, spending time with his family.

Surviving are his wife of 56 years, Elaine L.(Ferguson) Klinger; a daughter, Joanna Loree (Shawn) Adams of Germany; 3 sons, Matthew E. (Jennifer) Klinger of Phoenix, AZ, Nathan R. (Jennifer) Klinger of Elmhurst, IL and Vearle David (Sherry) Klinger of Naperville, IL; 9 grandchildren, Aaron Adams, Heather (Jorge) Tellez, Brent Klinger, Nathan Klinger II, Adam Klinger, Rose Klinger, Wade Klinger, Megan Klinger and Katelyn Klinger; 3 great grandchildren, RheaLynn Klinger, Nathan Klinger III and Rogan Tellez; 2 sisters, Shirley Wilson of New Castle and Jeanne (Eddie) Herald of Espyville.

He was preceded in death by his brother, David Klinger.

Friends will be received at Young Funeral Home, Ltd., 127 W. Jefferson St., Butler, on Monday, August 9, 2010 from 7-9 PM.

Services will be held at the funeral home on Tuesday, August 10, 2010 at 11 AM with his son, Rev. Nathan Klinger of Christ Church of Oakbrook, in Oakbrook, IL officiating.

Private family burial will follow in the Butler County Memorial Park, Butler, PA.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.