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Charles E. "Chuck" Ranck, age 85, a resident of Amherst for the past 45 years, passed away on Tuesday July 6, 2010 at Community Health Partners, Lorain. He was born April 22, 1925 to Harry and Lucy (nee Work) Ranck in Westerville, Ohio. He graduated from Westerville High School in 1943. After graduating from high school he joined the United States Army Air Corps and served his country in World War II being awarded with the prestigious honor of the Purple Heart. Upon returning home from serving his country, he enrolled at Otterbein College, graduating in 1949 with a degree in business and education.

Chuck was employed by General Motors in Elyria for 33 years as a General Foreman, retiring in 1981. After retirement he enjoyed a second career in real estate serving Lorain County.

He was a member of the Lions Club. Chuck and his late wife, Mary were avid Ohio State Buckeye fans. In his free time he liked playing softball, golf, fishing and bowling. He was a devoted husband, Loving father, grandfather and great-grandfather.

He is survived by his son, Paul (Marilyn) Ranck, of Flowery Branch, Georgia; daughters, Carol (Jim) Tear, of Amherst, Cheryl (John) Kirschner, of Amherst and Caren "Susie" (Tom) Godfrey, of Lorain; son-in-law, Bob Powell, of Amherst; 9 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, of 63 years, Mary Ranck (nee Ferguson); parents, Harry and Lucy Ranck and his brother, Robert W. Ranck.

The Ranck family will receive family and friends on Thursday July 8, 2010 from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. in the Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center, 1110 Cooper Foster Park Rd., Amherst. Services will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the funeral center following the visitation with Pastor James Peter, officiating. Private interment will be



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held.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.dovinreberjones.com



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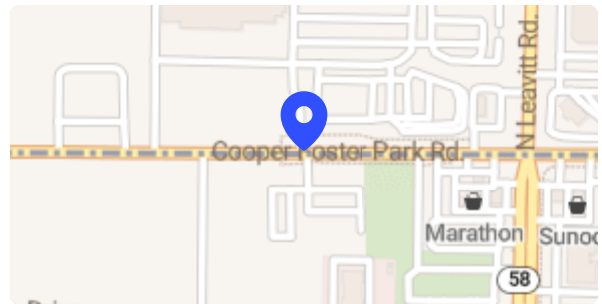
Visitation

 **Thursday**, July 8, 2010

 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET


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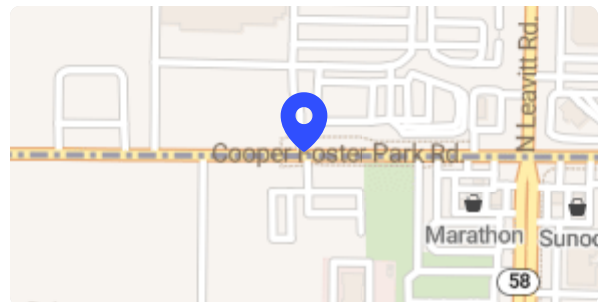
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PG

Paul Ranck - Flowery Branch, Ga - Dad posted:

The Ranck family is truly blessed to have so many great and long time friends. So many people came to pay their respects to my dad and my mom. Although I know he is much better off now, I will miss him dearly. My dad was my hero and best friend. Over the last week I have thought about all of the great times I had with him. Thanks to everyone who loved him and showed us your love. All of you are dear friends. We will all miss him. I already do. He will now have a 50 yard line seat to watch the Buckeyes he loved sitting right next to mom.

July 13 at 8:00 PM

GN

George And Doris Schuman - Amherst/Lorain, Oh - Former Neighbors posted:

Chuck has joined Mary and we are sure they are at peace. Our sympathy goes out to all of you. God Bless you!George and Doris Schuman

July 11 at 8:00 PM

BL

Betty Washburn - Columbus, Ga - Sister-In-Law posted:

i am so happy that i was able to visit with chuck when i was up there in november. i know my sister mary is waiting for him to join her. i am so very happy they are once again united. love to you all, aunt betty. please keep in touch.

July 10 at 8:00 PM

BF

Bill & Polly Makinen - Amherst, Oh - Friends posted:

Sorry we couldn't be there. You have our deepest sympathy. Wish we could go back in time and relive all of the fantastic times that we shared with you and your parents. They are with Woody now , working on an Ohio State-Mich#@\$& party. Again, we are deeply sorry for your loss. Bill And Polly

July 8 at 8:00 PM

RF

Roger And Evelyn Colebrook - Vermilion, Oh - Friends posted:

Dear Paul and Marilyn. Our deepest sympathies on the loss of yourDad. And remember to consider the BFEF when discussing the Buckeye games.Roger and Evelyn

July 7 at 8:00 PM



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CF

Carol (Volak) Kussai - Oberlin, Oh - Friend posted:

Dear Marilyn, Paul and Ranck family, My sincere sympathy on the loss of your father. May your fond memories of him, bring you Peace. May God Bless you and your family,Carol (Volak) and George Kussai

July 7 at 8:00 PM

DJ

David & Nouie Nodal - Amherst, Oh - Friend Of Cheryl And John posted:

Cheryl and entire Ranck Family,Our deepest sympathies and prayers during this difficult time in your lives.We hope that the love of family and friends strenghten you and carry you. Please know that we are here for you.Sincerely,David & Nouie Nodal

July 7 at 8:00 PM

GN

Grace Washburn Bland - Columbus, Ga - Neice posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you. I know Aunt Mary has been keeping a seat ready for him on the 50 yard line. Love, Grace and Jacob

July 6 at 8:00 PM

EF

Esther Moos - Vermilion, Oh - Long Time Friend posted:

DEAR LONG TIME FRIENDS, YOU ARE ON MY MIND, AND I UNDERSTAND YOUR EMOTIONS AT THIS TIME. BOTH YOUR DAD AND MOM WERE SPECIAL TO SO MANY OF US. WE HAD SO MANY "GOOD TIME "MEMORIES BECAUSE THEY WERE SO MUCH FUN TO BE WITH. THEY WILL BOTH BE MISSED BY SO MANY, BUT THE STRONG INFLUENCE THEY HAD ON OTHERS WILL HAVE A LASTING EFFECT FOREVER.WE WERE SO FORTUNATE TO HAVE HAD THEM IN OUR LIVES, BUT WE ALWAYS WANT MORE TIME THAN GIVEN. HOW SELFISH OF US. MY SYMPATHY TO ALL OF YOU.BIG HUGS, ESTHER MOOS,

July 6 at 8:00 PM

RS

Ron & Char Nenadal - Elyria, Oh - Friend Of Cheryl's posted:

Thoughts and prayers go out to you. O H -- I O

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Joyce And Jack Trottier - Friend posted:

Ranck Family, Our deepest sympathy and prayers to you all. "Go Bucks"

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Memories only last if you share them

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