

Robert L. Strait

Hustontown, 79

Robert Lee Strait, 79, Hustontown, died at 1:53 a.m., Friday, May 20, 2005, at his home in Dublin Township.

Born October 21, 1925, in Harrisonville, he was the son of the late Speer and Winifred (Sipes) Strait. He was married to Joyce (Gallaher) Strait on June 12, 1971. She survives at their home.

She is also survived by a son, Donald Strait, Carlisle; a daughter, Deborah Jay, Harrisonville, and stepsons: Kevin Harris, McConnellsburg, and Brian Harris, Shermantdale, Pa., and a sister, Maxine Lowe, Arizona; 10 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; five step-grandchildren and four step-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Deniece Higgs; a sister, Almeda Warsing, and four brothers: David, Earl, Eugene and Coy.

He served in World War II with the U.S. Army Signal Corps in Europe. He was a member of Bishop-Raker Post 655 VFW and James B. McKibben Post 561 American Legion, McConnellsburg.

He retired in 1985 from H.J. Williams Co. as a foreman. He was of the Protestant faith.

Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m., Monday, May 23, at M.R. Brown Funeral Home, Hustontown. Pastor Rick Robinson officiated. Burial was made in Clear Ridge Cemetery.

Fulton Honor Guard conducted military memorial services at the cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Clear Ridge United Methodist Church, c/o Mary Brown, 2859 North Clear Ridge Road, Hustontown, PA 17229.

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