



Richard L. Gleason

May 1, 1922 - January 27, 2018

Richard L. Gleason, 95, passed away on Sat. Jan. 27, 2018 in Round Lake Beach. He was born May 1, 1922 in Half Day and had lived in Lake County for most of his life. He was a US Army veteran, having served in the European Theatre during WWII, receiving a purple heart and five bronze stars. He fought in the Battle of the Bulge, Arnhem and D Day as a combat medic with the 101st Airborne. Richard was employed by Ekco Products in Wheeling for 40 years.

Surviving are his sister Dora Rasmussen and brother Edward Gleason and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his brothers, Herbert, Robert and Lyle and by his sister Ethel Calanca.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 pm Tuesday, Jan. 30, 2018 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. (Rt. 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave.) Libertyville. Military honors will be given at 7 pm, during the visitation.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Wounded Warriors. Info: 847-362-3009 or please sign the on-line guest book at www.burnettdane.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *May the love of friends and family carry you through your grief. May God bless you all during this time. 2Thess.2:16,17Grayslake,IL*

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“ *I am sad to hear of Richard's passing.I'm sorry that I never got to meet Richard. His mother had a brother George who was my grandfather.*

John Ryder - April 27, 2018 at 03:56 AM