



Jerome E. Hinkel

February 22, 1916 - March 31, 2016

Jerome E. Hinkel, 100, of Mentor, passed away March 31, 2016 at Mentor Woods Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Mr. Hinkel was born February 22, 1916 in Cleveland.

Jerome was an employee at Lincoln Electric for 43 years, retiring as Director of Application Engineering in 1985. He directed the Lincoln Welding School. He helped develop the specifications for welding the Alaskan pipeline. After retirement, he served as a consultant for them for another 12 years. He served his community as Council member, President of Council and Mayor of Kirtland Hills for 16 years. After retirement he enjoyed woodworking and volunteered in many organizations, including being an instructor of children's woodworking classes at Wildwood in Mentor. He was a great storyteller and "life teacher".

Survivors include his daughter, Barbara Hribar; sons, Jerry (Irene) Hinkel and Paul Hinkel. He also leaves behind many loving grandchildren and great grandchildren; his brother, Arthur Hinkel and other loving family members.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 71 years, Florence, parents Edward (EJ), Gertrude Hinkel and 6 brothers and sisters.

Funeral mass will be held 10 a.m. Wednesday at St. Mary of the Assumption

Church, 8560 Mentor Ave., Mentor. Please meet at the church.

The family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor.

Interment will be in Mentor Cemetery, Mentor.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions to Hospice of the Western Reserve 17876 St. Clair Avenue, Cleveland 44110-2602. Donate online at www.hospicewr.org.

Offer condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Rd.
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 974-5733

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 5. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Funeral Mass

APR 6. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Of The Assumption Church
8560 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3404
<https://stmarysmentor.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ Jerry was a Lincoln Electric colleague of mine. He was a highly competent welding engineer who was well respected within the company as well as in the welding industry. Jerry was an unusually skilled public speaker who could educate and entertain any audience. His skill with the pen was exceptional, whether writing technical documents or creating humorous poetry. No one who met Jerry left him without acquiring an additional friend. He will be missed by many.

Duane K. Miller, P.E., Sc.D

Duane K Miller - April 05, 2016 at 12:53 PM



Thank you for sharing! Yes, connecting with humor was definitely a core part of him! Kim Stark, Granddaughter

Kim Stark - April 07, 2016 at 04:05 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Jerome E. Hinkel.*



April 04, 2016 at 11:42 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Jerome E. Hinkel.



April 03, 2016 at 09:25 PM