Burk, Willard 1912 - 2009



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Willard Burk, 96, of Fort Wright, died Tuesday at St. Elizabeth Hospice, Edgewood.

He was the retired owner of Burk's Grocery, Covington, a World War II veteran, and a member of Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, Lakeside Park, and the Covington Elks.

His first wife, Dorothy Schoborg Burk, died in 1957. His second wife, Marjorie Verhoven Burk, died in 2005.

Survivors include a son, Todd Burk of Olathe, Kan.; a daughter, Carolyn Cruse of Villa Hills; a sister, Betty O'Toole of Crestview Hills; five grandchildren; and two greatgrandchildren.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, Lakeside Park. Visitation will begin there at 11 a.m. Friday.

Memorials are suggested to Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 2718 Dixie Highway, Lakeside Park, Ky. 41017; or the American Cancer Society, 297 Buttermilk Pike, Fort Mitchell, Ky. 41017.

Swindler and Currin Funeral Home, Latonia, is handling the arrangements.