

Thomas F. Drennen

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Thomas Frederick Drennen, 80, of Ravenswood died February 18, 2009, at CAMC Memorial Division in Charleston.

He was born August 22, 1928, in Powellton, WV, a son of Frederick Dana Drennen and Dolly Marie Drennen Nutter.

He served in the US Army and was employed as a millwright in the Plate Dept. at Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corp.

He was a member of the North United Methodist Church in Ravenswood, where he sang in the choir. He was also a member of the Ravenswood VFW Post 6669, the Ravenswood Lions Club, and Steelworkers Local Union 5668.

He is survived by sisters Annabelle Smith of Charleston and Jacqueline Crockett of Ravenswood; brother John Darrow Drennen of Powellton; children Ella Marie Drennen Sayre of Gray TN, Dana Lee (Kim) Drennen of Ripley, Terry Lynn Drennen of Ravenswood, Frederick Carlton (Anita) Drennen of Caldwell, OH; Rhonda Dale Ferguson of Parkersburg, Dawn Lee Ferguson Lombardi of Hickory, NC, and James Richard (Amie) Ferguson of Morrisville, NC; nine grandchildren and four greatgrandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Emma Jean Ferguson Drennen.

Funeral service was held Saturday, February 21, at 1:00 p.m. at Roush Funeral Home, Ravenswood, with Reverend Donald Maxson officiating. Burial followed in Pine Hill Cemetery, Ripley. Friends visited the family at Roush Funeral Home on Friday, February 20, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m., and one hour prior to service on Saturday.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Ravenswood VFW Ladies Auxiliary.

Condolences may be expressed to the Drennen family by email at roush1us2000@yahoo.com.