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Donald Zatechka



Born: November 28, 1909

Died: February 22, 2004

Services will be held at: 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday, February 25, at the Central Christian Church with Reverend Jeffrey Caswell officiating. Burial will be in the Steamboat Rock Cemetery.

Don was born November 28, 1909 in Ferguson, Iowa, the son of John and Mary (Prokup) Zatechka. He was raised and educated in the Ferguson area where he attended the Ferguson School System. On August 31, 1934 in Waterloo, Iowa, Don was united in marriage to Vivian P. Hartman. Following their marriage they made their home in Marshalltown. Don worked at Fisher Controls for over 30 years before retiring in 1970.

He was an avid hunter and fisherman and belonged to several wildlife associations during his lifetime. Don was a member of the Central Christian Church and the Fishers Local. Don is survived by his son Dr. Doug (Jane) Zatechka of Lincoln, Nebraska, his three grandsons: Dr. Doug (Jenny) Zatechka Jr. of Memphis, Tennessee, Dr. Rob (Jennifer) Zatechka of Omaha and Jonathan (Sarah) Zatechka of Omaha. Also surviving Don are his five great-grandchildren Carter, Caden, Brennan, Ryan and Isaac. Don was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Vivian, his brothers Ed, Fred, and John, his sisters Rose, Maude, and Mary and his son Donald Jr. in his infancy.