



## C. Stanley Gerdes

June 14, 1921 - May 19, 2008

C. Stanley Gerdes, 86, of Petersburg, died on May 19, 2008 at 2:45 am at Sunny Acres Home in Petersburg. He was born on July 14, 1921 in Petersburg to Alfred S. and Maude M. Williamson Gerdes. He married Kathryn Mallergren on May 25, 1951.

His wife Kathryn of Petersburg; a sister, Jean Roley of Beardstown; a brother, Kenneth Gerdes of Mt. Pulaski; and several nieces and nephews survive him.

His parents, two brothers, and two sisters preceded him in death.

Mr. Gerdes had graduated from Petersburg Harris High School in 1939, retired from Gerdes Insurance as an insurance agent. Had also worked as a salesman for Coca Cola and had farmed.

Mr. Gerdes was a member of the Central Presbyterian Church in Petersburg, Petersburg Chamber of Commerce, and Petersburg Rotary Club. He was a member of Clinton Lodge #19 AF & AM, and was a Master Mason for 50 years. He was also a member of New Salem Shrine Club, and was a founding member of the Lake Petersburg Association.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 23, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. at Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg. Rev. Julie Peterson will be officiating. Visitation

will be held on Thursday, May 22, 2008 at from 5:00 p.m. till 7:00 p.m. also at the funeral home. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Sunny Acres Home or Central Presbyterian Church, and Menard County Rescue Squad.

# Tribute Wall



“ *C. Stanley Gerdes*

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