



Shelson E. Potts

December 5, 1913 - October 12, 2009

Sheldon E. Potts, 95, of Petersburg went to meet his Lord Monday, October 12, 2009.

Sheldon was born December 5, 1913 in Fulton County, the son of Edward and Caroline Potts. He married Vivian V. Cozart on December 24, 1932; she preceded him in death in 1951. He married Vivian D. Herrmann on August 15, 1953 at St. John's Lutheran Church near Bath.

He was a 59 year member of Plumbing & Pipe Fitting Local Union 137. After retiring from plumbing, he became a bus driver for Porta School District 202 for 13 years. He was a member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church.

He is survived by his wife Vivian, 3 children; Janet (Larry) Thomson, Jim (Linda) Potts both of Petersburg, and Brenda (Hugh) Whalen of Lincoln; son-in-law Harold Stier of Petersburg, daughter-in-law Mary Potts of Havana; 15 grandchildren; and 24 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, 4 children; Sheldon Edward, Jr., Elmer John, Harold Potts, and Helen Stier; 2 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

Family will receive friends from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 14,

2009 at Hurley Funeral Home, Petersburg, IL. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 15, 2009 at Bethlehem Lutheran Church with Reverend Jeffrey Gross officiating. Burial will be at Rose Hill Cemetery in Petersburg.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Bethlehem Lutheran Church Memorial Fund.

Tribute Wall



“ *Shelson E. Potts*

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