

Carl Kragh Jr.

Services for Carl Kragh Jr., 86, of Monticello, formerly of Logansport, will be held at 1 p.m. Friday in Kroeger Funeral Home.

He died at 12:40 a.m. Tuesday, July 27, 2004, in Logansport Memorial Hospital.

Born March 24, 1918, in St. Louis, Mo., he was the son of Carl Sr. and Letha M. Taylor Kragh. He was married Dec. 29, 1945, in Logansport, to Esther Kivett, who preceded in death Feb. 7, 1993.

Carl had lived in Logansport since 1945, working 60 years as a manufacturer's representative in northern Indiana, selling industrial supplies. A pilot in the U.S. Navy, Mr. Kragh served in the South Pacific from March 1942 until 1945.

Mr. Kragh was a 50-year member of the Baptist Temple, past president of the YMCA/YWCA, past president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, where he brought the train to Riverside Park from the Miniature Train Company of Rensselaer. He was a 50-year life member of Elks Lodge #66. He also was a member of the Orient Masonic Lodge, the Valley of Indianapolis Scottish Rite and the American Legion.

He enjoyed golf, fishing and fellowship with his church family.

Surviving are four sons, Thomas Kragh, Polson, Mont., James Kragh and his wife, Becky, Monticello, Rex Kragh and his wife, Sandy, Logansport, and David Kragh, Mooresville, N.C.; one brother, Lee Kragh and his wife, Nancy, Bangor, Maine; one sister, Patricia Lass and her husband Russ, St. Louis, Mo.; seven grandchildren, Leslie Kragh, Jay Kragh, Elizabeth Kragh, Tim Kragh and his wife, Liz, Matt Kragh and his wife, Shaney, Julie Kragh and Madeline Kragh; and three great-grandchildren.

One grandson, R.B. Kragh, preceded in death.

Tom Cummins will officiate at the services. Burial, with full military honors, will be in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Friends may call from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday in the funeral home.

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