



Russell Glen LaBorde

January 31, 2017

Age 94, born December 14, 1922, in Oshkosh, WI, passed away peacefully Tuesday, January 31, 2017, at his Shorewood home of 56 years. Russ was preceded in life by his parents Glenn and Marian LaBorde, his wife Margaret H. LaBorde and son Andrew L. LaBorde. He is survived by 4 sons: Daniel, Luke (Lynn), Matthew, and John (Lisa) and four grandchildren, Nick, Madeline, Mark and Emily. Russ served in the US army's 89th division in World War II stationed in Europe. Russ held a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from Marquette University in Milwaukee, WI eventually leading to his Chief of Engineering (PE) role at the Oilgear Co. Russ over the years involved himself in model steam engine building, photography, wood working, crossword puzzles, whistling and volunteering for Habitat for Humanity. He had many interests including archeology and history. He was also a life-long dog lover. Sincere thanks to all who helped take care of Russ over the last couple of years, most notably his caregiver, Walter Wojiech. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the STEM Forward Program in Milwaukee. Donations can be made on their website at <http://www.stemforward.org/donate-paypal/> or by contacting their office at 414-810-7836. Service & Reception Info There will be a memorial service Saturday, February 18, 1:00 p.m., at North Shore Presbyterian Church, 4048 N Bartlett Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53211. A reception will follow the service.