Denis O. Jent

August 19, 2016

Denis O. Jent, 86, went home to be with the Lord on August 19th, 2016.

He was born on January 17, 1930 in Warren County, Kentucky to Joseph and Alice (Gammon) Jent.

He retired from Ironworker's Local 22 and was a member of the Mooresville Masonic Lodge No. 669 F & AM, the Murat Temple, and the Scottish Rite.

A George Washington High School baseball pitching standout, Denis was drafted by the New York Yankees upon graduation in 1948 and played in the Yankees farm system for 8 years.

Denis is survived by his wife, Judith Jent, daughter Sheila Crawford, daughter Carla (Paul) Baase, son Daryl Jent, brother Finis Jent, 12 grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents, his wife Patricia (Leeper) Jent, his son Michael Jent, his son-in-law Carlie Crawford, and his brother Norman Jent.



Death: August 19, 2016

Friends may call from 11-1:00 PM Monday,

August 22, 2016 at G.H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Avenue, Indianapolis, with the services starting at 1:00 PM. Denis will be laid to rest in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Greenwood, Indiana. Memorial contributions may be made to Shriner's Hospital for children.

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