

Robert P. Alferez

Robert P. Alferez, 77, life long resident of Cochranville, died at his home on Friday, October 17, 2008 after a long battle with cancer, with his loving daughter Kathleen Alferez at his side. He was the husband of the late Sarah M. Hess Alferez. Born in Coatesville, he was the son of the late Benjamin C. and Mariam C. Swoyes Alferez.

He graduated from Scott High School in Coatesville in 1950 and then served honorably in the US Navy during the Korean War.

Robert retired from PECO Energy after 37 years of service. He was a member of the Polish American Citizens Club, West End Fire Co. and the

American Legion. Robert was an avid Phillies and Eagles fan. He also enjoyed fishing and shooting pool. He was very dedicated to his family.

He is survived, in addition to his daughter Kathleen, by daughter Dianna Lynn Burns of Texas, six grandchildren, three great grandchildren, two brothers; Richard Alferez of Coatesville, Ellis Alferez of Texas, sister-in-law Annette M. Harrison of Shippensburg, who was a tremendous help at this difficult time, and nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a son Michael Shawn Alferez and a brother Earnest Alferez. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Memorial services will be held on Tuesday evening, October 21, 2008 at 7:00pm from the Wilde Funeral Home, 434 Main St. Parkesburg, Pa. with visitation from 6:00 to 7:00pm. www.wildefuneralhome.com