



Leo Montgomery

September 8, 1922 - March 20, 2011

Leo Francis Montgomery, 88, of Topeka, passed away March 16, 2011 at his home. He was born September 8, 1922 in Stockton, Kansas to Robert and Julia Montgomery. He moved to Topeka at a young age. Leo began working at Stauffer Publications at age 16 and worked there over 50 years until his retirement. He served in the army from 1943 to 1945 as a communications specialist in WWII. Leo loved to play golf, work in his yard, and take care of others, especially his family. He looked forward every year to getting together with army buddies at their battalion reunion. He married Laura Marquardt in 1951. She preceded him in death in 1971. He later married Mary Badsky in 1977. She preceded him in death in 1991. He was also preceded in death by his parents, a stepmother, Nora Hughes Montgomery, an infant daughter, Nora Lee, and three brothers, Robert, Jr., Jack and Adrian. He will be sadly missed by a sister, Mary (Vernon) Kasten, Topeka; three stepsons, Ken (Sharon) Marquardt, Arvada CO, Robert (Nici) Badsky III, Summerfield FL, John (Carol) Badsky, Henderson, AR; six grandchildren, Danny (Pattie) Marquardt, Broomfield CO, Darrin(Cassandra) Marquardt , Arvada CO, Randy (Sue) Badsky, Robin Badsky, Matthew (Jennifer) Badsky, Topeka and Sarah (Nick) Rodina, Spring Hill, Kansas; nine great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be Sunday, March 20, 2011 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka KS 66614, with a prayer service at 6:30. Mass of Christian Burial will be Monday, March 21, 2011 at 10 a.m. at St Matthew Catholic Church where Leo was a

long time member. Burial will be in Mount Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to one of Leo's favorites, Marian Clinic and/or Helping Hands Humane Society.

Tribute Wall



“ *Leo Montgomery*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Our family is very sad to hear about the loss of our neighbor, who our kids called 'Mr. Montgomery'. He was always sweet and kind. Please accept our condolences.
The Ellis family*

Karen Ellis - April 17, 2011 at 04:10 PM



“ *To The Montgomery Family,so sorry to hear of the loss of Leo. I worked with Leo back in the 80's at the cap journal, what a great coworker and friend. He will be greatly missed*

Michael O'Brien - March 21, 2011 at 05:05 PM



“ *Our sympathy to the Leo Montgomery family. Leo's neighbor Ron and Mary Spreer*

Ron and Mary Spreer - March 19, 2011 at 08:43 PM



“ *Leo was always a dear friend and truly a good man. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Terry eberly - March 19, 2011 at 12:02 PM

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“ *Dear Mary & families -
We are so sorry to learn of Leo's death.
We remember his smile and friendliness from our many mornings
picking up papers at the Capital, and he always spoke to us when
we saw each other at Mass at St Matthews.
You are all in our thoughts and prayers.
Duane & Rosie Henson*

Duane & Rosie Henson - March 19, 2011 at 10:09 AM