



## Bertrand L. Thompson, Jr.

January 17, 1923 - February 25, 2008

Bertrand Thompson, Jr., 85, of Plainville, husband of Helen Polaski Thompson, passed away Monday February 25, 2008 at the Hospital of Central Connecticut in New Britain. Born in Mount Vernon, NY, he was a former New Britain resident, moving to Plainville in 1951. A graduate of New Britain High School, Class of 1941, he was a World War II US Navy veteran. An electrician by trade, he was an executive with several local electrical contractors, retiring in 1994. He was a member of the First Lutheran Church in New Britain.

Besides his wife Helen, he leaves a son, Atty. Barry Thompson and his wife Therese Pac of Bristol; a daughter, Linda Procko and her husband Stephen of Plainville; three brothers, Raymond Thompson and his wife Ann of Woburn, Mass; Richard Thompson and his wife Carol of New Britain; and Gerald Thompson and his wife Patricia of Bristol; a sister, Gertrude Bury and her husband Peter of Montgomery, IL; a sister-in-law, Katy Thompson of Brevard, NC; six grandchildren, Jessica Thompson of Avon; Benjamin Thompson and wife Katey of Centerville, MA; Earl Procko, Daniel Procko, Joseph Procko and Nicholas Procko, all of Plainville; a great granddaughter, Emily Thompson; several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a sister, Shirley Kalwat and a brother, Robert Thompson.

A memorial service will be held Saturday March 8, 2008 11 AM at First Lutheran Church, 77 Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051. Burial will be at the convenience of the family in St. Joseph Cemetery, Plainville. There are no calling hours. Memorial donations may be made to the Friendship Service Center, 241 Arch Street, New Britain, CT 06051 or to the First Lutheran Church Memorial Fund. Please share a memory or note of sympathy by clicking on "GUESTBOOK" at the bottom of this page.

# Tribute Wall

KF

“ Dear Uncle Bert,

*What I remember most is Christmas Parties and having fun in the cellar with the whole family. I'm sorry I missed so much time but I will remember how funny you were and your sense of humor. Also, I will always be grateful for your visit with my Dad in the hospital. You will be missed.*

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**Kimberly Thompson Frisk** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Uncle Bert, I reflect on the memories I have coming to Plainville for family picnics and sometimes just to visit at your home. I remember your smile and dry sense of humor. I treasure all the memories I have with you and your family. May the love and thoughts we share bring peace to your family during this difficult time.

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**Carol Thompson Pietryk** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Uncle Bert, you will be missed. I have fond memories of "hangin' out" with you at family picnics eons ago, and am thankful to count you among my relatives.  
Love, your niece, Diane

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**Diane Thompson Smith** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ This is Pete ,Bert. It was always a pleasure knowing you & Helen & family. I always felt so welcome at all the family gatherings. It was a pleasure & an honor to be married to your sister. PETE BURY

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**Pete Bury** - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM