

**George S. Blessing**, (19 Aug 1918 – 3 Jun 2009), Perry County Times, Wednesday, June 10, 2009

**George S.** “Buck” **Blessing**, 90, of Landisburg died Wednesday, June 3, 2009 at home.

He was born Aug. 19, 1918 at Duncannon to the late **Harry S.** and **Elizabeth H. Sawyer Blessing**.

He was a lifetime farmer; an Army veteran of World War II; a member of Iron Workers Local 404, Landisburg Fire Company and Landisburg Ambulance Association.

He was the widower of **Dorothy L. (Brannon) Blessing**.

Surviving are three sons, **George J.** of Roxbury and **Timothy L.** and **Joseph S.**, both of Landisburg; eight daughters, **Connie J. Long** of Lewistown, **Catherine L. Martinelli** of McClure, **Stephanie Hepford** of Mechanicsburg, **Ruth E. Mitten** of Denison, Ohio, **April L. Trimble** of Blain, **Lula A. Hollenbaugh** of Landisburg, **Lillian M. Olson** of Charlestown, W. Va., and **Genevieve S. Fuller** of Landisburg; 38 grandchildren; and 49 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by three sons; a daughter; and a stepdaughter.

Services were held June 8 in Hoenstine Funeral Home, Lewistown, with the Rev. Charles Belz officiating. Burial was in Lind Memorial Cemetery, Lewistown.

Nickel Funeral Home, Loysville, handled local arrangements.

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