

**Robert Best Conrad**, (17 Apr 1926 – 8 Jan 2010), Perry County Times, January 21, 2010

**Robert Best Conrad**, 83, of Mechanicsburg died Friday, Jan. 8, 2010.

He was born April 17, 1926 in Bellwood to the late **William** and **Carrie (Best) Conrad**.

He worked for PPL and AMP, Inc., before retiring; was a Navy veteran of World War II and served with the 28th Division of the Army National Guard during the Korean War; a member of Zion United Church of Christ, Blain, and a 50-year member of Robert Burns Lodge, Zembo Temple, where he was involved with the Zembo Mini-car Unit, Harrisburg Consistory, Tall Cedars of Harrisburg Forest 43, National Sojourners and Heroes of '76 and Mechanicsburg Club; and enjoyed model building, especially remote control planes and ships.

Surviving are his wife of 59 years, **Shirley (Gutshall) Conrad**; a son, **Robert E.**; a granddaughter, **Marybeth Conrad**; and a sister, **Doris Jean Conrad**.

A graveside service was held in Mechanicsburg Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Zembo Shrine Endowment Fund, 2801 N. Third St., Harrisburg 17110, or his church, 24 W. Main St., Blain 17006.

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