

**Russell A. Kennedy**, (10 May 1923 – 11 Aug 2012), Perry County Times, September 6, 2012

**Russell A. “Buck” Kennedy**, 89, of Carlisle, died Saturday, Aug. 11, 2012, at Forest Park Health Center, Carlisle.

He was born Thursday, May 10, 1923, in Andersonburg to **Alexander N. and Glenna Marie (Stroup) Kennedy**.

Russell graduated from the Blain-Union High School in Perry County and served in the US Navy during WW II. Buck retired from the former P. R. Hoffman Co., Carlisle after 28 years of service and was a former taxi cab driver in Carlisle. He was a member of Wesleyan Church of The Cross, Carlisle; and enjoyed the outdoors and hunting.

Surviving are his wife of 62 years, **Mary M. (Bowermaster) Kennedy**; four sons, **William Kennedy, Larry Kennedy** and **Wesley Bowermaster**, all of Carlisle, and **Michael Kennedy** of Lewistown; a sister, **Nina Gamble** of Dry Run; nine grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Aug. 15 in Ewing Brothers Funeral Home, Carlisle, with the Rev. Daniel R. Mikesell officiating.

Burial was in Westminster Memorial Gardens, Carlisle.

Memorial contributions may be made to his church, 430 B St., Carlisle 17013.