



Emile Cardinale

October 25, 1916 - October 25, 1916

Age 93 and a lifelong resident of Hammond, Emile passed away on Sunday, May 16, 2010 at his residence. He was a farmer most of his life, retired from the Tangipahoa Parish Police Jury after 20 years of service and one of the oldest members of the Knights of Columbus Hammond Council #2952. He is survived by his daughters, Mary Jones, Rosalie Eleser, Margaret Daughtry and husband Larry; sons, Emile Cardinale, Jr. and wife Sherry, Jasper Anthony Cardinale; grandchildren, Chad and Mark Jones, Michael Harper, Patricia Simmons, Deborah Schaerer, Lisa Luther, Rodney Eleser, Scarlet Morris, E.J. Cardinale III, Jennifer, Lori and Lindsey Cardinale, along with 16 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Preceding Emile in death were his wife, Mary Cardinale; parents, Gasper and Mary Cardinale; son-in-law, R.J. Eleser, Jr., as well as eight brothers and sisters. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, west of Hammond on Wednesday, May 19, 2010 at 2:00 p.m., with visiting hours beginning at 10:00 a.m. Interment will follow in Rose Memorial Cemetery. Condolences and other information are available online at www.thompsoncares.com Arrangements have been entrusted to Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home of Hammond.