



## Wilford Cowart

August 17, 1919 - April 23, 2009

Wilford "Red" Cowart, age 89, passed away on Thursday, April 23, 2009 at North Oaks Medical Center. He was a resident of Albany and a U.S. Navy veteran, having served in World War II. Mr. Cowart is survived by his wife of 70 years, Laura Belle Cowart; two sons and daughters-in-law, Perry and Lorraine Cowart, and Kenneth and Susan Cowart. He is also survived by six grandchildren, Mark Cowart and wife Rebecca, Trina Guzan and husband David, Shree Jones and husband Trey, Wilford Wade Cowart and wife Mary, John Cowart and wife Missy, and Matthew Cowart; eleven great-grandchildren and an expectant great-grandchild. A sister, Inez Young, two brothers, Leroy and Floyd Cowart along with numerous nieces and nephews also survive him. Mr. Cowart was preceded in death by a daughter, Rita Cowart; a great-granddaughter; sisters, Irena Boyd and Lorena Schanil; brothers, Joe, Ellis and Wilton Cowart. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home on Saturday, April 25, 2009 at 11:00 a.m., with visitation beginning at 9:00 a.m.. Rev. Dan Munson will conduct the services and entombment will follow in Greenlawn Mausoleum. Online condolences and other information are available at [www.bgthompsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.bgthompsonfuneralhome.com). Arrangements have been entrusted to Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home of Hammond.