



## Ernest Banyard

January 23, 1925 - May 24, 2010

Ernest G. Banyard, 85 of Springfield died Monday at South Hills Rehabilitation Center. Born January 23, 1925 in Iowa, he was the son of Arthur and Henrietta Banyard. Mr. Banyard served in the U. S. Army during World War II. He was a career logger and millworker. He married Gloria Skeels on July 14, 1946 in Salem. The couple has five children. Mr. Banyard enjoyed hunting, fishing, crabbing, camping and gardening.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Gloria Banyard; daughters Claudia Turner, Cynthia Mathews and Christine Fuller all of Springfield; sons Ernest G. Banyard, Jr. of Springfield and Kenneth Banyard of Eugene; three sisters Bessie, Gladys and Irene; 12 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren.

A visitation is scheduled from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm on Thursday, May 27th at McHenry Funeral Home in Corvallis. A Funeral Service will be held at 10:00 am at the funeral home; the casket will be open for one hour prior to the funeral service. A graveside service will follow at Charles A. Hendrix Memorial Gardens in Lobster Valley.