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Walsh, Ervin J.  
Jan. 24, 1920 - Dec. 29, 1999

## Ervin J. 'Jim' Walsh

EAGLE - Ervin J. "Jim" Walsh, age 79, died Wednesday, Dec. 29, 1999, at Kiwanis Manor in East Troy. He was born Jan. 24, 1920, in Oconto to Boyd and Rose Walsh. He moved to northern Illinois as a teen-ager and graduated from Huntley High School. He married his wife of 56 years, Elizabeth (Libby) Mattingly in Marengo, Ill., on Sept. 18, 1940.

Ervin served his country as an infantryman in the European Theater during World War II. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7221 (VFW), and the Disabled American Veterans (DAV).

Ervin and his family moved to Wisconsin in 1963 and he worked at Kearney and Trecker in West Allis until his retirement. Upon retirement, Jim and Libby moved to Eagle Meadows in Eagle, where he lived until October 1999, when he moved to Kiwanis Manor.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Libby, in November 1996. He is survived by his brother, John (Irene) Walsh of Apple Valley, Minn.; his sons, Larry of Arivaca, Ariz., Patrick of Rockford, Ill., Daniel (Carol) of Mukwonago and David (Tina) of Laona; his daughters, Kathy (Richard) Tavulares of Hartland and Jackie (Kevin) Detlof of Mukwonago; 16 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren, 2 great-great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Friday, Dec. 31, at Mealy's Funeral Home, 103 Eagle St., Eagle; the Rev. Daniel Schober will officiate. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. until the time of services Friday at the funeral home. Cremation will follow.

Mealy's Funeral Home of Eagle is serving the family, (262) 594-2442.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1999

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Formerly of Eagle

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