

## Obituary

**Roger K. Tewksbury**, 87, of Sugarmill Woods, FL died on April 11, 2011 at his home. He was born November 2, 1923 in Akron, Ohio to Ernest and Lelia (Adams) Tewksbury. He grew up in Hudson, Ohio and moved to Homosassa, Florida in 1986 from Stamford, Connecticut. After service 3 ½ years in the Army Air Corps with time in the South Pacific during WWII, he graduated from Miami University in Ohio. His work life was spent with Champion International Paper Corp in the Hamilton, Ohio paper mill in various management jobs, at one time Manager of industrial Engineering, and another as Personnel Manager for the mill. The last ten years of his working life he was an Industrial Engineer for the corporation headquarters in Stamford, Connecticut serving all company locations.



Roger was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Crystal River, Sugarmill Woods Country Club, West Citrus Elks Lodge, VFW, American Legion and the Moose Lodge. He was preceded in death by his wife of 55 years, Joanne, in April of 2002. Surviving are daughter Elizabeth Vipond of Sugarmill Woods in Homosassa, FL; son James Tewksbury and wife Bonnie; two Grandsons, John and Robert all of Springboro, Ohio and his dear friend, Fern Boucher of Sugarmill Woods.

Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home & Crematory in Lecanto, Florida. A memorial service for Roger will take place at 1PM, Saturday, April 16, 2011 at the First Presbyterian Church of Crystal River. A Celebration of Life will be held from 1-3PM, Sunday, April 24, 2011 at the West Citrus Elks Lodge in Homosassa, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Citrus County.

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