

Ralph H. Karner Sr. of Roselle: Services for Ralph H. Karner Sr, 71, will be private. Born May 2, 1928, in Roselle, he died Tuesday, April 4, 2000, at home of cancer. Interment will be in St. Paul Evangelical United Church of Christ, Evergreen Cemetery, Bloomingdale. A lifelong resident of Roselle, Mr. Karner was a retired boilermaker/welder. He received his apprenticeship working on the last steam engines of the Milwaukee Railroad. He was assistant chief on the Roselle Fire Department, serving from 1954 until 1963. Surviving are his wife of 32 years, June Karner; children, Terrence R. Karner Sr. (Gerta); Donna L. Marino, and Ralph H. Karner Jr.; and grandchildren, Terrence R. Karner Jr. (Debra) and Tamara M. Karner. He was preceded in death by his parents, Adolph and Alma (nee Meyer); brothers, Adolph Jr. "Beba", Raymond and William; and sisters, Violet and Gladys Freeman. Arrangements were made by Martin Funeral Home, Roselle. For information, (630) 529-5751.

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