Arthur C. Plote Formerly of Elgin

Funeral services for Arthur C. Plote, 98, of Kirkland, will be held at 11 am Friday, at St. John's United Church of Christ, Algonquin and Roselle Roads, Palatine. Born Oct. 9, 1904, in Palatine Township, to Ernest J. and Wilhelmina (nee Rieke) Plote, he entered eternal rest on Sunday, May 25, 2003, at the Northwoods Care Center, Belvedere. Burial will be in Lakewood Memorial Park, Elgin. Arthur lived and farmed in Palatine with his wife Malinda, for 36 years. He lived in Elgin for 34 years before moving to the DeKalb area in 1999. He was a life-long member of St. John's United Church of Christ, and served on the church boards for many years. A member of the Cook County Farm Bureau for more than 70 years, he was also on the grade school and high school boards in Palatine. Arthur is survived by his children, Herbert (Delores) Plote, Lorraine Krabbe, Wesley (Lois) Plote, all of Kirkland, and Dorothy (Richard) Krabbe of DeKalb; sister-inlaw, Lucille Hecht of Mesa, Ariz; 11 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife of 70 years, Malinda, in 1998; daughter and son-in-law, Geraldine and Ronald Cutaia Sr.; sonin-law, Kenneth Krabbe; grandsons, Roger Krabbe and Timothy Plote; brothers, Elmer, Ernest and Ervin; and sisters, Elsie (in infancy), Minnie Jahn, and Esther Nebel. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 pm Thursday, at the Laird Funeral Home, 310 S. State Street (Route 31), Elgin, and on Friday, from 10:30 am until the time of services, at the church. Memorials may be made to St. John's United Church of Christ. Friends may visit www.dailyherald.com/obits to express condolences and sign the guest book. For funeral information, (847) 741-8800.

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