## **OBITUARY**

## John S. Michniewicz

John S. "Meeker" Michniewicz, 83, of the Country View Village section of White Township, NJ, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, Dec. 14, 2004 at Warren Hospital, Phillipsburg, NJ.

Born: On April 9, 1921 in Great Meadows, NJ, he was a son of the late John S. and Stephanie Sykofska Michniewicz.

**Personal:** He and his wife, the former Marion Kircher, were married for 53 years.

He lived in Hackettstown before moving to Country View Village five years ago.

John was a processor for Farmland Dairies, Wallington, NI for over 30 years, before retiring.

He served in the Army during World War II, receiving the Purple Heart, and Distinguished Service medals of both the State of New Jersey and Warren County.

Meeker had enjoyed fishing.

Memberships: He was a parishioner of St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church in Belvidere, NJ. He was a member of Knights of Columbus, Joyce Kilmer Council 2483, Hackettstown, NJ for over 65 years. He was also a member of the Purple Heart Club.

Survivors: In addition to his wife, Marion, he is survived by a son, Joseph of Sanford, Fl; three daughters, Christine Nestlerode of Castanea, Pa, Rose Solominta of Blairstown, NJ, and Joanne of Hope, NJ; three grandchildren, Katherine, Brock, and Zane; and a great granddaughter, Amber.

Two brothers and four sisters died earlier.

Services: A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday at 10:30 a.m. in the church, 327 Greenwich Street, Belvidere, NJ. Interment will follow in the Union Cemetery, Hackettstown, NJ. Friends may call on Friday from 6 to 9 p.m. at the MacFadden Funeral Home, 325 Hardwick Street, Belvidere, NJ. Knights of Columbus will meet 7:30 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Memorials: In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in his memory to the charity of one's choice.

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