



## Thomas M. Winebrenner

April 20, 2002

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A memorial service for Thomas M. "Tell" Winebrenner Jr., 79, of rural Mount Blanchard, and formerly of Forest, will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday at Grant United Methodist Church, Forest. Private family graveside services will be held at Grove Cemetery, Kenton.

Visitation will be held an hour before services Saturday at the church.

Mr. Winebrenner died at 2:55 p.m. Saturday, April 20, 2002, at Corinthian Nursing Home, Kenton.

He was born June 26, 1922, in Hardin County to Thomas M. and Ruth (Crooks) Winebrenner. He married Winifred "Winnie" Jeanes on Feb. 20, 1960, and she died Jan. 20, 1978. He then married Dorothy "Dottie" (Dare) Granville on July 4, 1981 and she survives.

Also surviving are a son, David of Maineville; two daughters, Mrs. Tom (Sondra) Snode, Bucyrus; and Mrs. Don (Vicki) Kirkendall, Bluffton; two

stepsons, Mark Granville, Raleigh, N.C.; and Jonathan Granville, Berlin Heights; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Tom (Betsy) Webb, Jenera; and Mrs. Jeff (Laura) Gaskins, Carey; three grandchildren; nine step-grandchildren; and four step-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Maxine Ries and Marcella Jordan.

Mr. Winebrenner was a retired farmer and was retired from Kenton City Schools.

He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, and participated in the D-Day invasion.

He was a 1941 graduate of Kenton High School.

He was a member of Grant United Methodist Church; and a 50-year member of Greenwood Grange, Grant; F&AM Latham Lodge 154, Scioto Chapter R.A.M. Post 119, Council Post 65, Commandery Post 58, all of Kenton. He also was a volunteer storyteller for Hancock Park District and guide for Erie County Metro Park District.

Memorials may be made to the church's Stained Glass Window Fund.

Arrangements are by Shields Funeral Home, Forest.