



John Eric Oberg

March 31, 1930 - September 25, 2014

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RACINE-John Eric Oberg, 84, passed away at Wheaton Franciscan Health Care-All Saints on Thursday September 25, 2014. John was born in Harvey, Illinois on March 31, 1930 the son of the late Johan O. and Eda M. (nee: Johansen) Oberg. Upon graduation from Wm. Horlick High School he enlisted in the United States Army proudly serving from June 13, 1951 until his honorable discharge as a Corporal on June 10, 1953. John was very active with The Racine Heritage Museum, The American Legion, Sierra Club, and U.W. Parkside-A.L.L. He was also very involved in the U.S. Chess Federation, Racine Literacy Council and the V.F.W.

John was employed as a draftsman with Modine Mfg. retiring after many years of service. His hobbies included chess and photography.

John is survived by one sister, Hedda Conkley of Tigaad, Oregon and other friends.

In keeping with John's request, cremation was held and there will be no services.

Tribute Wall

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“ We were honored to have had John as a tutor at the Racine Literacy Council for many years. He is remembered too for sharing his Peonys with us each spring. He was a gentle, kind man and will be missed by all who knew him.

Kay Gregor- Racine Literacy Council - October 01, 2014 at 10:31 AM