## Leo Edward BEAUCHAMP

Beauchamp, Leo Edward of St. Thomas, passed away on Wednesday, May 19th, 2010, peacefully, surrounded by his loving family, in his 79th year. Dearly loved husband and best friend of Carol (Bond) Beauchamp and loved father of Leo James Beauchamp of London, Laura and her husband Jim Ziegler of Port Stanley, Ryan and his wife Sarah Beauchamp of Mount Elgin, Murray and his wife Bev Beauchamp of St. Thomas and Cynthia and her husband Jeff Stirling of Chatsworth. Predeceased by a daughter Mary. Dear brother of Joe and his wife Diane Beauchamp of Sudbury and Joanne and her husband Tom Dalton of Cornwall. Predeceased by a sister Catherine Venne and brother-in-law of Roger and his wife Diane Venne of Timmins, Much loved grandfather of Chantal, Keenan, Adam, Hannah, Alexandra, Mark, David, Stacey and Matthew. Also survived by a number of nieces and nephews. Leo was born in South Porcupine (Timmins) on May 15th, 1932, the son of the late Ernest and Gertrude (Lymon) Beauchamp. He worked as a mining engineer, a sales agent for Mutual Life (Sun Life) 33 years and then sold real estate. Leo was a member of Holy Angels? Church and was a 4th Degree Knight with the Knights of Columbus. He played and coached baseball and hockey, and was an avid sports fan. He also enjoyed painting. Resting at Williams Funeral Home, 45 Elgin St., St. Thomas until Saturday morning and then to Holy Angels? Church where Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m. Interment to follow in Holy Angels? Cemetery. Visitation Friday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Prayers will be recited at the funeral home on Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. Flowers gratefully declined. Remembrances may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society.