

Joseph P. Gottsacker

Joseph P. Gottsacker, 74, of 1625 N. 10th St., well-known Sheboygan printer, died Tuesday evening at St. Nicholas Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born Dec. 16, 1885, in Sheboygan, the son of the late Frank and Anna Gottsacker. He attended Holy Name School and learned the printing trade at an early age under the direction of his father who owned and operated the Democrat Printing Co. He later operated his own firm, the Gottsacker Printing Co. until 1932 when his son-in-law William Orth assumed the operation.

He was married Nov. 25, 1908 to Miss Anna Landgraf at Holy Name Catholic Church. There celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1958.

He was a life-long member of the Holy Name Parish, the church's Holy Name Society and member of Typographical Local 710.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Francis of Madison and Fabian of Middleton, one daughter, Mrs. William (Jeanette) Orth of Sheboygan; nine grandchildren and one great grandson; three brothers, John Gottsacker of Sheboygan, Brother Giles of Washington, D.C., and Peter, Farmer, S.D.; and two sisters, Mrs. Addie Schladweiler of Cleveland, Wis., and Sister Mary Francha OSF of Walls, Miss.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, two sons, one granddaughter, one sister and one brother.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. at Holy Name Catholic Church following brief rites at 9:30 a.m. at Gerend's Funeral Home. The Rev. Anthony J. Knackert, pastor, will be the celebrant of the requiem High Mass. Burial will be in the family lot in Calvary Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 2 p.m. Thursday. Parishioners and members of the Holy Name Society will hold a vigil at the funeral home at 7 p.m. Thursday.

"We have loved him during life, let us not abandon him until we have conducted him by our prayers, into the house of the Lord."—St. Ambrose.



In Loving Remembrance of
Joseph P. Gottsacker
Born December 16, 1885
Died November 8, 1960

Prayer

Absolve, we beseech Thee, O Lord the soul of Thy servant JOSEPH, that being dead to this world, he may live to Thee and whatever sins he may have committed in this life through human frailty, do Thou, of Thy merciful goodness, forgive. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

My Jesus Mercy (300 days Ind.)
Our Father Hail Mary