



## Edward J. Kocor

October 25, 1920 - September 16, 2014

Edward J. Kocor, 93, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, September 16, 2014 at Willimansett Center East, with his loving family by his side. Born October 25, 1920, son of the late John and Bronislawa (Midura) Kocor, he was a lifelong Chicopee resident. A US Army Air Corps veteran of World War II, Edward served as a corporal with the 434th Air Squadron and fought in campaigns in France and the Rhineland. He was awarded the European African Middle Eastern Theater Campaign Ribbon and Victory Medal. Edward was a communicant of the Basilica of St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr, and retired after forty-two years of employment at the former Moore Drop Forge Co. He looked forward to spending time at the family cottage in Belchertown, and avidly enjoyed fishing, boating and traveling. Edward's family would like to thank the staff of Willimansett Center East for the excellent care and compassion given to him during his stay there, especially by his caregiver, Cisto Correa. Edward is survived by his beloved wife of sixty-seven years, Antoinette M. (Lortie) Kocor; his loving children, Michael E. Kocor and his wife Patricia of Easthampton, and Joyce M. Kosiorek and her husband John of Springfield; cherished grandson, James Kosiorek and his wife Laura of Springfield; and his nephew and nieces. He was predeceased by his sister, Janet Kaminski, and his brother, Eugene Kocor. Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning from Kozikowski Funeral Home, 565 Front St. Chicopee, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 11AM in St. Stanislaus Basilica. Burial with Military Honors will follow in St. Stanislaus Cemetery. Calling hours

are Tuesday from 9-10:45AM. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 2080 Silas Deane Highway, 2nd Floor, Rocky Hill, CT.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Stanislaus Cemetery-

800 Montgomery St.  
Chicopee, MA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 23. 9:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Kozikowski Funeral Home  
565 Front Street  
Chicopee, MA 01013  
(413) 592-9256  
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## Service

SEP 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Stanislaus Basilica\_  
566 Front St.  
Chicopee, MA