



John Richard Werst

June 19, 1914 - January 19, 2009

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Born June 19, 1914 to Gene and Mary (Key) Werst. John, a longtime Wenatchee Valley Resident passed away January 19, 2009 at the age of 94.

John moved to Wenatchee in 1938 to accept a management position in the fruit industry. He continued in the fruit industry specializing in controlled atmosphere development technology until his retirement in 1979.

John loved his family and is survived by his wife Virginia Werst of Wenatchee, WA, a brother Donald Werst of Yakima, WA, and step-sons Richard Schons of Wenatchee, WA and Dennis Schons of Mukilteo, WA.

A Celebration of John's Life was held 12:30 PM Saturday January 24, 2009 at Telford's Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee, WA.