

John "Jerry" Petry 1/5/27 -- 11/15/08

Jerry is a native of Ohio. In WWII he served in the Army mechanized cavalry (tanks) in Germany. He attended the U. of Dayton where he met his wife Kay, and after graduating in 1950 he became a manufacturers representative for producers of luggage, leather goods, cases and various hats. They moved to San Jose in 1962 and had five children and seven grandchildren who all live nearby. Jerry's hobbies were aviation, flying and building models. He served as a docent at the Hiller Aviation Museum in San Carlos. His favorite travel experiences were in France while representing a French company.