

Robert L. Zink, Sr.

Robert L. Zink, Sr., 72, of 849 Wright St., Columbia, died unexpectedly Monday morning at home. He was the husband of the late Eleanor Kowker Zink who preceded him in death on March 8, 2007.

A lifelong Columbia resident, he was the son of the late Chester and Mazzie Kreider Zink. Bob retired in 1994 after 23 years of service from the former McCrory Department Stores where he worked as a truck driver.

He served in the U.S.M.C. and was a social member of the Red Rose Memorial Post 2435 V.F.W. Bob enjoyed spending time fishing on the Susquehanna River and also hunted earlier in his life. He was an avid Phillies, Eagles and Penn State

fan.

He is survived by his grandson, Corey Zink, with whom he resided. In addition, his sisters Thelma wife of Charles Reinhart, New Providence PA; Catherine Holland, Violet Boyles and Beatrice Zink, all of Columbia; a brother-in-law; sisters-in-law and several nieces and nephews also survive. A son, Robert L. Zink, Jr., preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held from the Clyde W. Kraft Funeral Home, Inc., 519 Walnut St., Columbia PA on Thursday at 11:00 AM with the Rev. Kenneth F. Lawrence officiating. Interment in Holy Trinity Catholic Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Thursday one hour prior to the service. Kindly omit flowers. Contributions to Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 409 Cherry St., Columbia, PA 17512 in Bob's memory would be deeply appreciated.