



Abraham Shashy

December 31, 1969 - August 17, 2008

Obituary of Abraham Naif Shashy Abraham Abe Naf Moses Shashy Sr., 86, passed away on Sunday, August 17, 2008 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. A lifelong resident of Ocala, Mr. Shashy was a leader in his community and the head of the Moses-Shashy family business-chiefly, Moses Auto Parts Company. He retired in 1989. He was a 2nd Lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force During WWII. He was a graduate of the University Of Florida with a B.A. in Business and was a member of the Gator Boosters and U Of F Alumni Association. Throughout his adult life, Abe worked hard to improve his community, his church, and the well-being of those in need. He served as president of the Ocala/Marion County Chamber of Commerce, the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the Lions Club of Ocala, and the local chapter of the American Legion. He was Exalted Ruler of Ocala Lodge # 76 of the Order of the Elks, and served as District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler of the Florida Elks. He also served as president of the Harry-Anna Crippled Childrens Home, an Elks Club organization. He was named Elk of The Year for 1967-68, and was Melvin Jones Fellow of the Lions Club Foundation. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and served as the president of the Holy Name Society for the church. In addition, he was a member of the Knights of Columbus, the Quarterback Club of Ocala, and the Good Ole Boys Club. Recently, one of his favorite activities was having breakfast every week with fellow members of the ROMEO group Retired Old Men Eating Out. He will be truly missed by those who survive him, including his wife of more than

63 yrs, Frances Kalil Shashy; his three children, Barbara of New York City, NY, Abraham Jr. Hap of McLean, VA, and David of Ocala; He is also survived by his sister, Agnes of Ocala. He took special pride in his five grandchildren, Stephen, Laura, Nicholas, Benjamin, and Daniel.