



## Lawrence E. Mechler

February 16, 1922 - August 26, 2008

### MECHLER

Lawrence E. Mechler, age 86 of San Antonio, died Tuesday, August 26th, 2008 after an illness with Alzheimer's. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Mary Palmer Mechler of Leicester, England; sons, Patrick Mechler of San Antonio, Mike Mechler and wife, Vickie of New Braunfels; daughters, Ann White of San Antonio, Vivian Wertz and husband, Clete of San Antonio; 5 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Lawrence was a WWII Veteran, and was a Steward for the International Typographical Union at the San Antonio Light for many years. He was also a longtime active leader of the Boy Scouts of America.

### SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Friday-August 29, 2008 beginning at 2:00PM, followed by funeral services at 3:00PM at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Interment will follow at Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery with Army Honors. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Incarnate Word Retirement Center, 4707 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas 78209.

You may sign the on-line guestbook at [www.missionparks.com](http://www.missionparks.com) under the obituary section.

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# Tribute Wall

SP

“ *Dear Mechler Family:*

*It is with great admiration and respect that I offer my condolences on the death of Lawrence E. Mechler. I recently learned that he was a veteran of World War II; a member of the Greatest Generation. I too come from a proud mili*

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**Senator Leticia Van de Putte, R. Ph.** - September 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *You were a gentleman's gentlemen. You are a good friend.*

*Ken Mills*

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**Ken Mills** - August 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *Our prayers and thoughts go out to the family.*

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**Dick & Carol Beavers** - August 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PR

“ *I remember spending many a night at the Mechler house on Blossiom Dr with my good friend, Ann. We were in school together at St. Peter's. Mom & Dad Mechler treated me just like one of the other kids and I loved it. I remember them letting me help cook pe*

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**Penny Kivlin Rhoads** - August 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ I will treasure Mr. Mechler friendship forever, God Bless him. Our prayers go out to Mrs. Mechler & Family, May you find peace and comfort in the midst of sorrow. Just to imagine your loved one's arrival into the very arms of our Heavenly Farther.  
With

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**Martha R. Ramon** - August 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Dear Mary, Ann, Pat, Vivian, and Mike, I am so sorry for your loss. I had already come to realize that "my buddy" would not be coming across the street to see what I was up to anymore, but now, I know it's final. I will miss him. Rest assured that he has

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**Dennis Scecina** - August 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ We all know how dearly Lawrence will be missed by family and friends, including many of us from our years of working together at The Light where he always found a way to get out the daily newspaper on deadline and to the presses. He was one of a kind and

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**Joe L. and Bobbi Schott** - August 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SV

“ Dear Mary and Children of Lawrence,  
The staff and residents of The Vuillage at Incarnate Word offer since sympathy at this time of loss. May God give you peace and comfort.

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**Sr. Shirley Vaughn** - August 27, 2008 at 12:00 AM