Simeon Kenneth "S.K." Bell, 91, Indianapolis, died April 15. He was a Jay County native.

Born on Nov. 2, 1913 in Jay County, he was the son of Durbin Ward and Clara Croft Bell.

He was married in 1938 to Neva Salome Fricke, who survives.

A Purdue University School of Pharmacy graduate, he worked for Muir Drug Company and Lederle Laboratories. He was a member of the U.S. Navy during World War II and served as a gunnery officer on a ship in support of the Normandy Beach invasion forces. He also served in the Pacific theater.

A Little League baseball coach for 12 years, he was a member of the American Legion Post 34 in Indianapolis and was a charter member of Epworth United Methodist Church, the Eiteljorg Museum and the Indiana State Museum, all in Indianapolis.

Surviving besides his wife is one daughter, Beverly Bell Barron, Gig Harbor, Wash.; two sons, S. Kenneth Bell, Richardson, Texas and Dennis Ward Bell, Auburn, Wash.; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Services are 11 a.m. Tuesday at Epworth United Methodist Church, 6450 Allisonville Road, Indianapolis. Burial will be 3 p.m. on Tuesday at a family plot in Green Park Cemetery in Portland.

Visitation is Monday from 4 to 8 p.m. at Flanner & Buchanan Funeral Center-Broad Ripple in Indianapolis.

Memorials may be made to Epworth United Methodist Church, the Eiteljorg Museum or the Indiana State Museum.

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