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Donald Baltzer, 86

ESCONDIDO - Donald W. Baltzer, 86, died Thursday, April 7, 2005, in Rancho Bernardo.

Born Oct. 2, 1918, in Milwaukee, he lived in Escondido for 36 years. He retired in 1978 after 30 years in the office machine repair department as a supervisor at the San Diego Unified School District.

He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II, where he flew 30 mission over France and Germany and retired as a first lieutenant. He received the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters and two Unit Citations. He instructed bombardiers on the B-29.

Mr. Baltzer was preceded in death by his wife of 49 years, Helen Baltzer, in 2001.

Inurnment will take place at a later date with military honors at Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery.

The family suggests donations to the Goodwill Industries, 15810 Indianola Drive, Rockville, MD 20855, or the Veterans Administration, 8810 Rio San Diego Drive, San Diego, CA 92108.

Alhiser-Comer Mortuary is handling arrangements.