The Legacy of Lewis Massengale



Lewis Massengale 1951

Massengale Armature Works, Inc. has been proudly serving the Austin, San Antonio and Texas for the past 54 years; founded in 1959 as Sheppard-Hamers Armature Works, Inc. by R.S. Hamers, W.J. Sheppard, and Lewis F. Massengale.

Name and ownership changed in 1964 to Massengale Armature Works, Inc., Lewis F. Massengale president and sole owner until his passing in 2005.

He was a proud veteran of World War II, a member of the Davey Crockett Masonic Lodge # 1225 and a member of Scottish Rite Bodies and the Alzafar Shrine in San Antonio, TX.



John, Terry, and Mike Massengale



Hit the Wall Lewis and Wayne 1952

Sheppard-Hammer, which he co-founded in 1958, became Massengale Armature Works in 1965, which he owned and operated with three of his sons. He took great pride in personally managing the family business until his illness and is remembered by many for the first-class quality of work that the company had produced for 47 years.

In addition to his career and family, Lewis had a life-long interest in automobiles that ranged from stock car racing in the 1950's to building, driving, and showing classic cars. He collected

> and restored a number of classic cars through his life, and was a joint member of the San Antonio Gear Grinders and the San Antonio Rodders where he was a frequent participant in car shows and events.



Mike and John Massengale are continuing the legacy of Lewis Massengale to provide San Antonio and south central Texas with the highest quality electric and mechanical apparatus sales and service; to continue the long-standing reputation of honesty and fairness with business enterprise.