

**Bluffton News-Banner, Wells Co, IN; Monday, June 13, 2005**

Edward L. Bosworth, 56, of Decatur, died Friday, June 10, at his residence.

Mr. Bosworth was a welder with Fleetwood and Strick Corporation. He was a member of Moose Lodge #1311, American Legion Post #43 and a lifetime member of V.F.W. in Gas City. He attended the Cornerstone Community Church. He was a Vietnam veteran.

Born June 12, 1948, in Grant County to Emile L. and Mary Ann Kirk Bosworth, his marriage on Jan. 8, 1995, was to Jennifer Reel, who survives.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his mother, Mary Ann Small of Bluffton; two sons, Edward L. Bosworth II of Wabash and Christopher J. Bosworth of Marion; three daughters, Mrs. James (Georgette C.) Phillips of Poquoson, Va., Mellisa Sipe of Geneva, and Jaimie J. Bosworth of Decatur; two brothers, Jerry L. Bosworth of Gas City and Jason L. Small of Nottingham; four sisters, Sabrina A. Vaughn of Tampa, Mrs. Bruce (Alberta E.) Hilton of Bluffton, Dorina "Joan" Bosworth of Butler, Ky., and Mrs. Troy (Vera F.) Puckett of Bluffton; and eight grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father.

Calling hours will be from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Haggard and Sefton Funeral Home and one hour prior to services. Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home with pastor Daniel York officiating. American Legion Post #43 and American Legion Post #111 will conduct military graveside rites. Burial will be at Decatur Cemetery in Decatur.

Preferred memorials to the family.

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**Chronicle-Tribune (Marion, IN) - June 14, 2005**

Deceased Name: Edward L. Bosworth

June 12, 1948-June 10, 2005

DECATUR - Edward L. Bosworth, 56, 521 S. 13th St., Decatur, died Friday in his residence.

He was born in Grant County to Emile L. and Mary Ann (Kirk) Bosworth. He married Jennifer Reel on Jan. 8, 1995. She survives. He was a welder with Fleetwood and Stick Corp. He was a member of Cornerstone Community Church, Moose Lodge 1311 and American Legion Post 43 and a lifetime member of VFW Post 6728, Gas City. He was a Vietnam War veteran.

Additional survivors include his mother, Mary Ann Small, Bluffton; sons, Edward L. Bosworth II, Wabash, and Christopher J. Bosworth, Marion; daughters, Georgette C. (James) Phillips, Poquoson, Va., Mellisa Sipe, Geneva, and Jaimie J. Bosworth, Decatur; brothers, Jerry L. Bosworth, Gas City, and Jason L. Small, Nottingham; sisters, Sabrina A. Vaughn, Tampa, Fla., Alberta E. (Bruce) Hilton and Vera F. (Troy) Puckett, both of Bluffton, and Dorina "Joan" Bosworth, Butler, Ky.; and eight grandchildren.

Services are at 10 a.m. Thursday in Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home, 225 W. Adams St., with Pastor Daniel York officiating. Burial is in Decatur Cemetery. The American Legion Post 111, Bluffton, will conduct military gravesite rites.

Visitation is from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday and from 9 a.m. until services Thursday at the funeral home. Online condolences may be made at [www.haggardandsefton.com](http://www.haggardandsefton.com).

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Edward L. Bosworth, 56 of Decatur, IN passed away on June 10, 2005 at his residence. He was the son of Emile L. & Mary Ann (Kirk) Bosworth. Born June 12, 1948 in Grant County, IN. He then married Jennifer Reel on January 8, 1995.

Surviving are his wife, Jennifer Bosworth, Decatur, IN, Mother, Mary Ann Small, Bluffton, IN; 2 Sons: Edward L. Bosworth II, Wabash, IN, Christopher J. Bosworth, Marion, IN; 3 Daughters: Mrs. James (Georgette C.) Phillips, Poquoson, VA, Mellisa Sipe, Geneva, IN, Jaimie J. Bosworth, Decatur, IN; 2 Brothers: Jerry L. Bosworth, Gas City, IN, Jason L. Small, Nottingham, IN; 4 Sisters: Sabrina A. Vaughn, Tampa, FL, Mrs. Bruce (Alberta E.) Hilton, Bluffton, IN, Dorina Joan Bosworth, Butler, KY, Mrs. Troy (Vera F.) Puckett, Bluffton, IN and 8 Grandchildren. Preceded Ed in death is his father Emile L. Bosworth.

Ed was a veteran of the Vietnam War. Ed attended Cornerstone Community Church. He worked as a Welder with Fleetwood and Strick Corporation and was a member of [Moose Lodge](#) #1311, American Legion Post #43, and a lifetime member of V.F.W. in Gas City, IN.

Visitation is from 2-4 and 6-8pm Wednesday June 15, 2005 at Haggard & Sefton [Funeral](#) Home and one hour prior to services. Funeral will be at 10:00 am Thursday at Haggard & Sefton [Funeral Home](#). Officiating will be Pastor Daniel York and burial will be in Decatur Cemetery, Decatur, IN. Military Graveside Rites by American Legion Post #111 Bluffton, IN at the cemetery. Memorials are to the Family.

**Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home online obit (accessed 3/1/2012)**