

John P. Brunner, 73 of Decatur died at his residence on Thursday, September 25, 2008. He was the son of the late Harvey & Melvena (Sudduth) Brunner. John was born on September 28, 1934 in Adams County, Indiana. He married Phylliss Elliot on November 20, 1953.

Survivors includes his wife Phylliss Brunner of Decatur; 2 sons Denny Brunner of Decatur and David (Sarah) Brunner of Huntington; 3 daughters Debra (Greg) Knittle, Donna (Mike) Mahan both of Decatur, Deana (Clint) Alexander of Ft. Wayne; a sister Betty (Walt) Salway of Decatur; 9 grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren, 3 step grandchildren and 2 step great grandchildren.

Preceded John in death is a sister Sally Golliff and a step great grandson Bryson Knittle.

John attended The Bridge Community Church in Decatur and was a member of the Moose Lodge #1311. He worked for Kroger Warehouse as a Lift Operator retiring in 1996 after 37 years of service.

Calling hours are on Monday, September 29, 2008 from 1 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home and 1 hour prior to services also at the funeral home. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 am Tuesday, September 30, 2008 at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home with Pastor Mo Hodge officiating. Burial will be in Decatur Cemetery.

Memorials are to Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana or Angel Cancer Fund through A.C.C.F.

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