

Charles Lay

Charles Marion Lay, 70, of Kokomo, died at 3:55 a.m. Thursday, April 5, 2001, at SCCI Hospital. Born Nov. 8, 1930, in Harlan, Ky., he was the son of James and Mossie (Harmon) Lay. On May 20, 1960, he married Carolyn (Kline), who died April 11, 1981. On June 22, 1986, in Lake Tahoe, Nev., he married Betty J. Lay, who died July 19, 2000.



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He retired in 1986 from Haynes International. He was an expeditor.

He was a member of Westside Baptist Church. He had held previous memberships in Naphtali Lodge 389 in Center, Ind., Scottish Rite, Valley of Indianapolis, Mizpah Shrine and the Kokomo Shrine Club.

Surviving are two sons and a daughter-in-law, John and Linda Lay, Atlanta, Ga., Duane K. Lay, Kokomo; a daughter, Vicki Williams, Kokomo; two stepdaughters, Patsy Long, and Sherrell Primmer, both of Kokomo; 11 grandchildren, Robert Primmer, Michael and Sabrena (Lay) Hughes, John W. Lay II, Shane Primmer, Jodie (Lay) Nance, Mark and Melissa (Williams) Sappington, Michelle Primmer, Javier and Jennifer (Lay) Reyes, Larry and Elizzabeth (Williams) Brookshire, Christopher Long and Sean Long; eight great-grandchildren, Tyler and Austin Primmer, Michael II and John Caleb Hughes, Trista Nance, Carolyn Reyes, Masson and Charlie Brookshire; two brothers, Robert Lay, Knoxville, Tenn., John Lay, Banberry, Tenn.; a sister, Hazel Stephens, Lake City, Tenn. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Sherry Lee Lay, two son-in-laws, William E. Long Jr., and Montie Primmer, two sisters, Helen Cornette, June Slaughter, one brother, William Lay.

Services are 11 a.m. Tuesday at Ellers Mortuary, Webster Street Chapel, 3400 S. Webster St. The Rev. Ken Freeland and Pastor Linda Cruz will officiate. Burial will be at Crown Point Cemetery. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association.

Burial Tuesday, April 10, 2001
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