

George Junior McCarter

April 23, 1923 - Oct. 18, 2005

Lifetime Kokomo resident George Junior McCarter, 82, died in Howard Regional Health System on Tuesday, Oct. 18, 2005, after a long illness. He was born April 23, 1923, in Kokomo, the youngest child of George W. and Katie (Degler) McCarter. He married Wanda L. (McKinzie) McCarter on May 16, 1968, and she survives.

George attended Kokomo High School and when he was able, he went to work at Delco, where he worked for the next 47 years doing whatever jobs needed to be done to keep the lines moving. He retired in 1987.

He was a member of UAW Local 292 and formerly attended Landmark Missionary Baptist Church for several years. In his spare time he enjoyed pitching horseshoes, fishing, camping, baseball, bowling and golf.

Surviving with his wife of 37 years, Wanda L. McCarter, Kokomo, are two sons, Allan L. McCarter and wife Tammy, Rochester, and Kent A. McCarter, Kokomo; his stepchildren, James R. Mincoff, Mexico, Dennis L. Mincoff, Michigan, Cindy L. Horoho and husband Carl, Greentown, and Robin R. Ogle and husband Don, Russiaville; a special daughter-in-law, Ida Ebert, Kokomo; a sister, Irene Greeson and husband Harold, Kokomo; his grandchildren, Aimee McCarter, Connie Jaimz, Michael McCarter, Kent McCarter, Anita McCarter, Sean Horoho, McKinzie Horoho, Carly Ogle, Maggie Ogle, Brett McCarter, Brittany McCarter and Jacob McCarter; a special niece, Kim Kirby, Atlanta; three special nephews he ran around with, Bobby Gollner and Billy and Jimmy McCarter; several other nieces and nephews; and two special friends, Zoey and Emmy Langley.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers and seven sisters.

Funeral services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Friday in Sunset Memory Garden Funeral Home, 2097 W. Alto Road, with the Rev. George Reprogle officiating. Burial will follow in Sunset Memory Garden Cemetery. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home. Memorial donations may be made to a charity of the donor's choice. Friends may offer condolences online at www.mem.com.

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