



Bazle Shepherd, Jr.

December 15, 1932 - April 25, 2009

Bazle Shepherd, Jr., 76, of Bluffton, died at 3:40 a.m. Saturday, April 25, 2009, at his home. Mr. Shepherd was born in Fort Riley, Kansas on December 15, 1932 to Bazle and Hettie (Monday) Shepherd, Sr. He married Margaret Combs in Hazard, Kentucky on May 26, 1951; she survives. Mr. Shepherd lived in Wells County for the last 57 years, and worked as a Foundry Man at Sterling Casting and as a General Foreman at Decatur Casting. He worked a total of 33 years at the two companies. Other surviving relatives include two sons, Kenneth Shepherd and Terry Shepherd both of Bluffton; two brothers, Felix Shepherd of Melbourne, Florida and Wilson Shepherd of Bluffton; one sister, Nan Quinnoes of Bluffton; four grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. Mr. Shepherd was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Harold Shepherd. Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, April 28, 2009, at Thoma/Rich, Chaney & Lemler Funeral Home with Pastor Mike Hershey officiating. Calling hours will be 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. Monday, April 27, 2009 at the funeral home. Burial will be at Fairview Cemetery in Bluffton. Preferred memorials are to Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana. Online condolences may be made at www.thomarich.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
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Bluffton, IN 46714
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Tribute Wall



“ *Bazle Shepherd, Jr.*

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“ *Was sad to hear about "Sheps" passing. I enjoyed all the years working with him at Decatur Casting and everything he taught me about the foundry world. I'm sure he will be greatly missed by his family and all his many friends and co-workers.##imported-begin##Rick Horther##imported-end##*

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