



## Harper Clifford

June 10, 2003

Clifford E. Harper, age 72, of Gravois Mills, passed away Tuesday afternoon, June 10, 2003 at the Laurie Care Center in Laurie. He was born April 17, 1931 in Hannibal, Missouri, the son of the late Beauford H. Harper and Florence L. Seal Harper.

He was united in marriage to Jane Tavenner on July 17, 1982 in Sedalia, Missouri.

He and his wife retired to the Lake of the Ozarks in 1988. Before retirement he was employed by Yellow Freight Transit for 30 years. He was a veteran, serving in the Navy for four years during the Korean War. He was a member of the Osage Community Elks Lodge #2705 Laurie, Missouri.

Cliff loved the Lake of the Ozarks. He especially loved fishing and boating with family and friends. He loved animals and animals loved him.

He is survived by his wife, Jane of the home; one son, Michael A. Harper of St. Louis, MO; two step-daughters, Marjorie Griffin and her husband, Gary of Sedalia, MO, Jeanne Davis of Prairie Village, KS; step-mother, Juanita Harper of Laurie; two sisters, Doris Coffman, and Iris Thompson of Kansas City; one brother, James Coffman of Kansas City; several nieces and nephews and many friends. In addition to his mother, father, and step-father, John Coffman,

he was preceded in death by one brother, Victor Harper and one sister, Martha Knopf.

Memorial Services will be at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, June 14, 2003 at the Kidwell-Garber Laurie-Sunrise Beach Chapel in Laurie with Reverend Bob Potter officiating. Musical selections will be "Wind Beneath My Wings" and "Tears in Heaven". Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Laurie.