



Maddox Fay Lewis

October 22, 2004

Lewis Fay Maddox, age 81, of Gravois Mills, passed away Friday morning, October 22, 2004 at his home. He was born July 20, 1923 at St. Joseph, Missouri, the son of Elton Fay and Emma Margaret Young Maddox.

He was united in marriage on October 11, 1947 in Maysville, Missouri with Peggy Lou Brown.

Mr. Maddox was a machinist and worked for Union Machine and Tool in Kansas City for 15 years prior to retiring in 1974. He was a Staff Sergeant in the U.S. Marines, member of the V.F.W. Post 5158, the Gravois Volunteer Fire Department, Gravois Fire Protection District Firefighters Association and the Missouri Sheriffs Association.

He is survived by his wife, Peggy Lou Maddox of the home; three sons, Garry W. Maddox and wife Lisa, of Kearney, William (Bill) Maddox and wife Sherri, of Parkville, and Terry D. Maddox and wife Joy, of Gravois Mills; one sister, Merryl Hensley of Lakewood, Colorado; seven grandchildren, one great-grandson, many other relatives and friends. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by two brothers, Burl Slates and Burton Slates, and one sister, Margaret Mundorff.

Funeral services will be at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, October 26, at the Kidwell-

Garber Funeral Home in Versailles, with Rev. William Johnson officiating. Robert Ross will sing "How Great Thou Art" accompanied at the organ by Virginia Ross, and the Vince Gill recording of "Go Rest High On That Mountain" was played. Interment will be in Garber Memorial Estates Cemetery in Laurie, with military honors under the auspices of the Zack Wheat American Legion Post #624 of Sunrise Beach. Casketbearers will be Andy Maddox, Luke Maddox, Travis Maddox, Christopher Rumker, Valeri Rumker and Heath Maddox. The family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Versailles. In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial contributions to the Gravois Fire Protection District Firefighter Association Memorial. Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.