



Metzger Garald L.

February 9, 2006

Gerald L. Metzger, age 66, of Sunrise Beach, passed away Thursday, February 9, 2006, in Sunrise Beach. He was born August 11, 1939, in Wapakoneta, Ohio, the son of Carl Jr. and Mabel Smart Metzger.

He was united in marriage on December 26, 1968, in Laurie, Missouri, with Donna Patton, who survives of the home.

Gerald was a United States Navy veteran of the Vietnam War, a medical technician at Lake Regional Health System in Osage Beach, and was involved with the Amateur Ham Radio Club in Lake Ozark. He enjoyed his yearly fishing trips to Canada with his wife. He also loved to go deer hunting, cooking, and playing chess.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Tonya Eldridge and husband Joseph of Sunrise Beach and Tina Mason and husband David of Biloxi, Mississippi; two brothers, Joseph Metzger and wife Ivy of Wapakoneta, Ohio and Carl Metzger Jr. and wife Bea of the state of Florida; one sister, Sally Shaw and husband Donnet of Wapakoneta, Ohio; four grandchildren, and many other relatives and friends. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one brother and one sister.

A memorial visitation will be held from 6:00 to 8:00 P.M., Sunday, February 12,

2006, at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Laurie. Inurnment will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions are suggested to the charity of the donors choice. To send sympathy e-mails to the family visit www.kidwellgarber.com. Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Laurie.