



Williams "Eddie" Eugene Edgar

August 10, 2005

Edgar Eugene "Eddie" Williams, age 69, of Versailles, passed away Wednesday morning, August 10, 2005 at his home. He was born July 2, 1936 in Versailles, Missouri, the son of Norman Ed and Blanche Opal Huff Williams.

He was united in marriage on January 22, 1955 at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Gravois Mills with Delores Petty.

Eddie worked at Gerbes Grocery Store, Kansas City Bifocal, Kidwell Vault and Monument Company, and later Morgan County Gas Company, all in Versailles. He was a 1954 graduate of Morgan County R-II High School in Versailles, was a Boy Scout Leader for 8 years, and enjoyed camping with family and friends. He was baptized in the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Delores Williams of the home; four children, Kurt Williams and wife Robyn, of Jefferson City, Neil Williams and wife Connie, of Versailles, Sue Hodges and husband Ron, of Stover, and Jan Dunham of

Siloam Springs, Arkansas; their A.F.S. student Franco Guargilia of Parma, Italy; 39 grandchildren and great-grandchildren; one brother, Lonnie Joe Williams and wife Kay, of Versailles; his mother-in-law, Mary Petty of Versailles; his stepmother, Flossie Williams of Versailles; two step-sisters, Lois Vansell and husband Frankie, of Gravois Mills, and Doris Thomas and husband Skip, of Osage Beach; two sisters-in-law, Joan Petty of Blue Springs and Rose Williams of Versailles; several nieces, nephews, and a host of friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Dale Williams.

Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. Friday, August 12, at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Versailles. Interment will be in the West Lawn Addition of the Versailles Cemetery. Casketbearers will be grandsons, Jared Williams, Josh Dunham, Ryan Hodges, Cody Dunham, Kevin Easton and Scott Bauer. Honorary casketbearers will be his high school basketball teammates, Phil Hart, Billy Silvey, Ray Silvey, Bill Beard and Bill Ishmael. Friends may call from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. Friday at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Versailles. To send sympathy e-mails for the family visit www.kidwellgarber.com. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions are suggested to the Rheumatoid Arthritis Foundation or the American Heart Association. Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.