Portageville, Mo., he was a self-employed upholsterer for 35 years. Surviving are his wife, Mary Austin; four sons, Terry Lee Dotson of Tucson, Ariz., Mike Lynn Noel of Indianapolis, Roy Wayne Dotson of rural Portland and Carl Austin, Jr. of Georgia; four daughters, Donna Barger of Indianapolis, Marsha LeMaster of Portland, Connie Huev of Lauderdale Lake, Fla., and Carla Blade of Washington; three brothers, William Dotson, Jr. and Joseph Keaton, both of Indianapolis, and Claude Dotson of Plainfield; two sisters, Geraldine O'Connor and Marvella Pettijohn, both of Indianapolis; 26 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Services at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Williamson & Spencer Funeral Homes-Portland Chapel. Calling from 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday. Burial at Antioch Cemetery, rural Portland. Journal Gazette, The (Fort Wayne, IN) - Monday, November 6, 2000

ROY DOTSON, 73, died Sunday at Ball Memorial Hospital, Muncie. Born in