Richard Lee Knight

11/05/1938-09/29/2016

Richard Lee Knight, age 77, 624 South 200 West, Portland, passed away Thursday morning at his residence.



He was born in Muncie, Indiana on November 5, 1938 the son of Edward and Grace (Hamilton) Knight.

He was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church in Portland. He was the past owner of a furniture store in Lansing, Michigan, and also worked at 3M in Hartford City. He served in the U. S. Marine Corps. for 4 years.

Surviving are his 1 sister Mary E. (Fred) McKinley of Eaton, In; Brother-in law David (Sally Beard) Carlson of Portland; Sister-in-law Donna (Carlson) Tyndall of Portland; several nieces, nephews, as well as, several great nieces and nephews. His wife Judith preceded him in death in July 26, 2006.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 2:00 PM in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home with Pastor Mark Strietelmeier presiding. Burial will follow in the Green Park Cemetery. Visitation will be Saturday from 12:00 – 2:00 PM in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home. Memorials can be made to the Family Life Care of Berne, Indiana or the Jay County Humane Society.

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