

Services for Daniel Scott, 60, 3499 South 400 East, Portland, are Saturday at 10 a.m. in Baird-Freeman Funeral Home with Pastor Steve Arnold officiating. He died Monday at Ball Memorial Hospital.

Born in Portland on Feb. 6, 1947, to William and Nellie (Corle) Scott, he was married on Feb. 6, 2004, to Thelma Whetsel, who survives. His first wife Rachel Nichols, whom he married on April 28, 1972, preceded him in death on Oct. 19, 2000.

A veteran of the United States Marine Corps, serving in Vietnam, he had worked for Nofziger Trucking in Fort Recovery and Sheller Globe in Portland. Memberships include American Legion Post No. 211 and V.F.W. in Fort Recovery.

Surviving besides his wife are three sons, Rick Taylor, Burl Taylor and Jack Scott, all of Portland; five daughters, Mrs. Rick (Kim) Shannon, Portland, Mrs. Darwin (Juanita) Harshman, Bryant, Mrs. Rob (Mindy) Betts, Centerville, Mrs. James (Monica) Miller, North Webster, and Shawn Bowdell, Gas City; two stepsons, Robert Whetsel, Celina, Ohio, and Faron Rouse, St. Marys, Ohio; two stepdaughters, Rachael Queamo, Celina, and Glenda Boomshine, St. Marys; three brothers, John Scott, California, Tom Scott and Andrew Scott, both of Portland; two sisters, Alberta Bowler, Dunkirk, and Bernice Franks, Portland; 40 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Visitation is Friday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be in Liber Cemetery with military graveside rites conducted by American Legion Post No. 211.

Memorials may be sent to the Jay County Cancer Society, Jay County Heart Fund or American Legion Post No. 211 Honor Guard.

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