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Edwin Chittum Sept. 3, 1914-April 6, 2009

Services for Edwin Wayne Chittum, 94, Portland, are Saturday at 10:30 a.m. in the

Portland Chapel of the Williamson and Spencer Funeral Home with Pastor Greg Rittenhouse officiating. He died Monday at his home. Born in Adams County to Amos and Florence (Wolford) Chittum, he graduated from

Portland High School in 1932.

He is survived by his wife Patty (Stipp) Chittum, whom he married on Feb. 2, 1952.

Retiring from Sheller Globe in 1979 after 47 years of service, he was a member of

Asbury United Methodist Church, where he was a former lay minister and Sunday school teacher.

Surviving besides his wife are four daughters, Mrs. Bill (Dianne) Bolden, North Vernon,

Mrs. Jay (Paula Gail) Lindly, Tuscaloosa, Ala., Lana Denise Wheeler, Portland, and Mrs. Micky (Andrea Gay) Butcher, Rossville; 11 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Visitation is Friday from 3 to 7 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be at a later date.

Memorials may be sent to State of the Heart Hospice or Asbury United Methodist Church with envelopes available at the funeral home.

Condolences may be sent to www.williamsonspencer.com.

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