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WILLIAM JAY SHEWALTER, 71, died Tuesday at Blackford County Hospital. Born in Jay County, he retired from 3M Paper Co. in 1985 and was a farmer in Blackford and Jay counties. Surviving are his wife, M. Maxine; two sons, Michael J. of Montpelier and Terry W. of Hartford City; three stepsons, George Wilson of Port Charlotte, Fla., Rex Wilson of Vienna, Va., and Tony Wilson of Hartford City; a stepdaughter, Susan Willmann of Hartford City; a sister, Wilma Schaefer of Indianapolis; 12 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ruth M., in 1976, and a son, Tony.

Services at 11 a.m. Friday at Walker & Glancy Funeral Home, Montpelier, with calling from 1 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday.

Burial in Twin Hill IOOF Cemetery, Pennville. Memorials to Blackford County Hospital Building Fund, 203 Van Cleve St., Hartford City, IN 47348, or to Bethel Center Church of the Brethren, Indiana 26 W., Hartford City, IN 47348.

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