David, 50, Portland, died in an aviation accident.

He was a son to Norman Miller and Barbara Franks. His father and stepmother, Alice Miller, survive in Portland; his mother survives in Mason. On Sep 2, 1989, he married Michelle Pierzchala, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Sam; two daughters, Aly Miller and Eme Miller; and three brothers, Barry (Mary Anne), Greg (Shirley) and Todd (Lori), all Portland.

He was the owner of Miller Aviation, which he founded in 1989, and a lifelong farmer. He attended Westchester United Methodist Church and was a member of Portland Rotary Club, Gideons and Emmaus. He was a 1978 graduate of Jay County High School and a Purdue Ag short-course graduate.

Services are at the church, the Rev. Darrell Borders, officiating.

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David Brent Miller 04/26/1960-03/30/2011

David B. Miller, age 50, 2393 East 400 North Portland passed away Wednesday in a aviation accident in Kentucky . He was born in Portland April 26, 1960 the son of Norman Miller and Barbara Franks. He was married September 2, 1989 to Michele Pierzchala who survives. He was the owner of Miller Aviation which he founded in 1989. He also was a life long farmer. He attended Westchester United Methodist Church, member of Portland Rotary Club,



Gideons and Emmaus. He was a Red Cross blood donor and avid sports fan and outdoorsman. He was a 1978 Jay County High School graduate and Purdue Ag short course graduate.

Surviving are his wife Michele, one son Sam a sophomore at Purdue, two daughters Aly a high school senior and Eme a high school junior, his father and step mother Norman and Alice Miller of Portland, his mother Barbara Kadinger of Mason, Ohio, three brothers Barry Miller (wife: Mary Anne) of Portland, Greg Miller (wife: Shirley) of Portland and Todd Miller (wife: Lori) of Portland Several nieces and nephews

Funeral services will be Monday at 10:00 A.M. in the Westchester United Methodist Church with Pastor Darrell Borders presiding. Burial will follow in the Westchester Cemetery . Visitation will be Sunday from 1:00 – 5:00 P.M. in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home and one hour prior to the services at the church. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorials be made to the Westchester United Methodist Church Missions Fund.

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