

ROGER KING

Oct. 16, 1942 - April 7, 2005

Roger L. King, 62, Kokomo, passed away Sunday, April 10, 2005, at The Heart Hospital of Indiana following a massive heart attack on Thursday, April 7, 2005. He was born Oct. 16, 1942, in Kokomo, a son of James and Edna (Carl) King.

He was a 1961 graduate of Kokomo High School and had attended Kokomo Business College. He was employed by and served as vice president of Kings Heating & Plumbing until his retirement on Feb. 28, 2005. He will be remembered as the friendly face with the infectious laugh serving customers at the counter.

He was a life member of Courtland Avenue Friends Church, where he served as Sunday school superintendent and tended to the audio system and various other positions in the church.

Survivors include his father, James King, Kokomo; a sister and brother-in-law, Carolin and Jack Smalley, Kokomo; a brother and sister-in-law, Ronald and Jan King, Kokomo; several nieces and nephews and their spouses, Jay and Karen King, Jerry and Terri King, Mark and Joan Smalley, Jean and Phil Murdock, Connie and Peter Leonard, Julie and Doug Egge, Jayne and Doug Dewire, Jay and Hope Davis; several great-nieces and great-nephews; and special friends, Carol, Kathy and Patty. He was preceded in death by his mother, Edna King; and his stepmother, Ellen Julian King.

Services are 10 a.m. Wednesday at Shirley & Stout Funeral Home - Lincoln Road Chapel, 1315 W. Lincoln Road, with Pastor Kirk Harrison officiating. Burial will follow in Galveston Cemetery. Friends are invited to call from 3 to 7 p.m. today at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Child Evangelism and/or to the American Heart Association. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home.

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