



Elson, James

February 10, 2010

Elson, James L., age 68, of Pearl St., Moundsville, died Wednesday, February 10, 2010 in Wheeling Hospital.

He was born September 24, 1941 in Moundsville, the son of the late James Howard and Gemma Headley Elson.

He was a retired laborer from Local 1149 and a Baptist by faith.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife Shirley L. Malcomb Elson.

Survivors include his wife of 30 years Barbara Tucker Elson; three daughters Vicki Lynn (John) Hall of Glen Easton, Jamie (Joshua) Harvey of Sherrard, and Holly Barnhart of Moundsville; a step-son Herman Burkhart, Jr. of Moundsville; several grandchildren including Kristen Hall, Joel Harvey, and Jaycee Harvey; sisters-in-law Mary West, Linda (Bobby) Glover, Juanita (Joe) Guzek, Dorothy (Timothy) Stout; a brother-in-law Herbert Tucker, Jr.; an uncle Robert (Joni) Elson; an aunt Donna (George) Harveth; and his beloved pet Patches.

Family will receive friends on Friday from 2-4 and 6-8pm at Grisell Funeral Home and Crematory, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville, where funeral services will be held on Saturday at 11:00am with Rev. Jim Jennings officiating.

Interment in Riverview Cemetery, Moundsville.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Marshall County Animal Shelter, RD 5, Box 210, Moundsville, WV 26041.