

Eddie Arnold Garten

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GARTEN
Eddie Arnold Garten, 30, died at midnight Wednesday when his car rammed into the back of a tractor-trailer near Hinton. He was killed instantly, spokesman for the Summers County Sheriff's Department said.
Born in Summers County, October 8, 1949, Mr. Garten was the son of Walter and Ruth Lilly Garten of Hinton.
He had lived most of his life in Hinton having lived in Brantwell for the past five years. A Vietnam Conflict veteran, Garten was a former representative of the Kentucky Insurance Co.
His brother, Jimmy Garten, also killed in an automobile accident in December 1978.
Survivors include a daughter, Terri Leigh Garten of Bluefield, Va., three brothers, Ronald Garten of Clear Water, Fla., and Keith and Charles, both of Hinton, and five sisters, Mrs. Lorinda Richmond of Hinton, Mrs. Drema Burner of Hinton, Germany, Mrs. Elizabeth Long of Lindside, Mrs. Leah Hamm of Beaver and Mrs. Betty Ann Canterbury of Lenoir.
Funeral services were held Monday at 11 a.m. in the Ronald Measles Funeral Parlors in Hinton with the Revs. Ronald Bennett and Lawrence Bennet officiating. Burial followed at the Rocky Mount Cemetery near Pipestem.
Coffbearers were Jackie Cole, Jerry Cole, Bobby and Larry Farley, Danny Foster, and Mike Keaton.