

Herman Junior Durst

May 1, 1932 – October 26, 2008

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Herman Junior Durst, 76, died Sunday, October 26, 2008, at Cypress Grove Rehabilitation Center in Newburgh.

Herman was born on May 1, 1932, in Marmet, West Virginia. He was a Korean War veteran and was a first sergeant in the U.S. Army.

Herman retired from Operating Engineers Local 181 and worked on Newburgh Lock and Dam. He was a loving husband, father and friend.

Herman was preceded in death by sisters, Libby and Alberta; a great-grandson, Larry Dean Durst III, and parents, Herman and Flossie Durst.

He is survived by his wife, Phyllis (Cales) Durst (married 53 years on Oct. 5th), of Newburgh; a daughter, Tammy (Durst) Gates and husband, Dennis, of Chandler, Ind.; three sons, Mike Durst of Newburgh, Larry Durst and wife, Dorothy of Boonville, Ind., Thomas Durst of Chandler, Ind.; seven granddaughters, Amy, Jill, Mandy, Tiffany, Crystal, Heather and Trisha; two grandsons, Larry Jr. and Shaun; several great-grandchildren; two sisters, Patty Foster of Hinton, West Virginia, and Greeda Bartgis and husband, John, of Newburgh; a brother, Fred Durst and wife, Ina, of Union, Ky.; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Funeral service 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 29, 2008, at Koehler Funeral Home, Perigo Chapel 7022 Heim Rd. Chandler, Ind. Burial in Rose Hill Cemetery in Newburgh, with military rites by the Warrick County Veterans Memorial Services.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. today and from noon until service time Wednesday at Koehler Funeral Home Perigo Chapel in Chandler, Ind.