ROGER GIBSON

Dec. 22, 1925 - Oct. 9, 2005

Roger Gibson, 79, Kokomo, died 5:45 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 9, 2005, at Greentree Assisted Living, 2800 S. Dixon Road. Born Dec. 22, 1925, in Newton, Iowa, he was a son of Blaine H. and Amelia (Mueller) Gibson. He married Ermal Jane (Newby) on Feb. 8, 1952, and she died Oct. 2, 1985. He later married Geraldine (King) Woods in October 1986 and she survives.

He served with the U.S. Navy during World War II as a seaman second class. He retired from Delco Electronics after 30 years of service and was also a farmer.

He was a longtime member of the Southview Assembly of God in Kokomo and a member of UAW Local 292. He had a garden at Greentree and supplied the kitchen with fresh vegetables from his garden.

Surviving with his wife, Geraldine Gibson, are one brother, Dan Gibson, Mesa, Ariz.; and one sister, Blanche Pearson, Flora. In addition to his first wife, he was preceded in death by his parents; and four brothers, Bob, Blaine, Ed and John Gibson.

Graveside services are 2 p.m. Thursday at New London Cemetery with Timothy Brown officiating. Burial will follow. No visitation has been planned. Memorials may be made to the Southview Assembly of God. Arrangements were handled by Stout & Son Funeral Home in Russiaville.

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