

## GLEN A. 'BUTCH' BOZARD

June 13, 1946 - Jan. 19, 2006

Glen A. "Butch" Bozard, 59 Galveston, passed away 3:10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 19, 2006, in his home. Born June 13, 1946, in Howard County, he was a son of Thomas and Norma Jean (Bone) Bozard. On March 12, 1967, he married Jeanne (Dye) Bozard and she survives.



Glen Bozard



He was a graduate of Kokomo High School and retired as a job-setter from DaimlerChrysler ITP 1 plant in April 2000. While in high school he was employed by Schraders Auto Parts and upon graduation was hired at Chrysler Corp. in 1966. He enlisted with the Indiana National Guard in 1965 and retired after 21 years service in 1986. Following his retirement from Chrysler, he worked as a groundskeeper at Walton's Little Mountain Golf Course in Walton and Satellite Services Inc. at Grissom Reserve Air Base until December 2004. He had resided in Galveston since 1976.

He was a past president of the Galveston Lions Club and a past counselor of United Commercial Travelers. He enjoyed bowling, playing golf and attending NASCAR races. For several years he participated in the UAW bowling tournaments and weekly league play. He took up golf as a player late in his life and truly enjoyed all the time he spent on the links. NASCAR also grew for him

after attending races at Bristol Motor Speedway, the Michigan International Raceway, Las Vegas and during speed week in Daytona Beach for the past several years. Summers were spent traveling to Lake Cumberland, Ky., with his "houseboat" family, along with annual trips with the "Cincinnati" gang. For several years, while his kids were in high school, he was an active booster of the Lewis Cass Marching Kings and continued supporting them for the remainder of his life. Of all these things that he enjoyed, nothing matched his joy of spending time with his kids and grandkids.

Surviving with his wife and his parents are two sons, Richard Edward and wife Marie Bozard, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio, and Mark Allen and wife Melanie Bozard, Russiaville; a special daughter, Donita Johnson, Galveston; three grandchildren, Thomas Glen and Jeanne Marie Bozard, Ohio, and Payton Renee Bozard, Russiaville; one brother, Danny Bozard; three sisters, Rebecca and husband Leonard Lastovica, Yvette and husband David Longfellow, and Virginia and husband Bob Lawson; his maternal grandmother, Maude Fuller; two brothers-in-law, James and wife Kenny Dye and Paul and wife Cindy Dye, all of Fort Wayne; a sister-in-law, Mary and husband Pat Gordon; and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Special thanks for their loving care go to Dr. Naftali Bechar and his staff at Howard Community Hospital Oncology, Dr. Diane Pfeiffer, Dr. Ken Power and Guardian Angel Hospice.

Services are 11 a.m. Monday at First Baptist Church, 310 W. Taylor St., with Pastor Paul Martin officiating. Entombment with military honors by the Kokomo VFW Military Rites Team will be at Sunset Memory Garden Mausoleum. Friends may call from 3 to 7 p.m. Sunday and one hour before services on Monday at the church. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, with envelopes available at the church. Arrangements were handled by Ellers Mortuary Main Street Chapel.

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