

Harold L. 'Pete' Vandercook

July 3, 1933 - Nov. 2, 2005

Harold L. Pete Vandercook, 72, Kokomo, died at 8:46 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 2, 2005, at Howard Regional Health System. She was born July 3, 1933, in Indianapolis, the son of Calvert L. and Lovie Nance Vandercook. On May 31, 1968, in Kokomo, he married Karen Elaine Kaufman Vandercook.

He retired from Haynes International on March 1, 1987. After retirement, Kirby-Risk Co. for 12 years. He served in the Indiana National Guard for 7 1/2 years and was a member of the Quarter Century Club at Haynes International.

Surviving are her mother, Lovie Vandercook, Phoenix, Ariz.; two sisters, Barbara Gayle Sharp, Oakford, and Virginia and Mac McDole, Phoenix; special nephew and wife, Michael and Katia Kaufman, Wauchula, Fla.; and other nephews and nieces in Arizona and Indiana.

He was preceded in death by her father; one brother, Donald Vandercook and one sister, Patty Vandercook.

Services are 1 p.m. Saturday at Eilers Mortuary, Webster Street Chapel, 3400 S. Webster St. The Revs. Hay Hardison and Mike Greenwood will officiate. Entombment will be in Sunset Memory Garden Mausoleum. Calling will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday at the mortuary. Memorial contributions may be made to the Indiana Masonic Home Foundation. Envelopes are available at the funeral home.

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