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He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during the Korean War. He was a guard with Delco Electronics for 32 years, retiring in 1989.

He was a member of St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, American Legion Post #6, and Knights of Columbus.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia Ann Wallpe, Kokomo; a stepson, Steven Kent Wooley, Kokomo, two brothers, Francis and wife Connie Wallpe, Tipton, Robert and wife Rosemary Wallpe, Brentwood, Calif.; three sisters, Lorena Sutton, Redwood City, Calif., Bernice and husband Charles Oyler, Hayward, Calif., Elizabeth Lewhead, Kokomo; two grandsons, Nicolas Russell Wooley, Kokomo, Christopher and wife Angela Ramsayer, Mooresville; great grandsons, Dylan and Keagan Ramsayer; and several nieces, nephews, great and great-great nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Harold, Clarence and Anthony Wallpe; one sister, Katherine Marschke; and two sisters-in-law, Sharon Wallpe and Jane Wallpe.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, 3155 S. CR 200 West, with Father Brian Doerr celebrating. Entombment will be in Sunset Memory Garden. Calling will be from 3 to 7 p.m. Sunday in Ellers Mortuary Webster Street Chapel, 3400 S. Webster St., where a Scripture service will be held at 6:30 p.m. Calling will also be one hour prior to the Mass at the church on Monday. Memorials may be directed to the Howard County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

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