



## Charles R. Abner

October 4, 1941 - October 30, 2017

KNOX-Charles R. Abner, 76, passed away on Monday, October 30, 2017 at I.U. Health LaPorte Hospital, LaPorte, IN.

Mr. Abner was born October 4, 1941 in Winchester, KY. He was a former employee of Modeen Manufacturing in LaPorte; a U.S. Air Force veteran; and a former member of the United Auto Workers' Union #530 of LaPorte.

On September 7, 1963 in North Charleston, SC, he was married to Betty Darnell. Survivors include his wife, Betty; three daughters, Janice (Jake) Lovely of Knox, Pamela (Jim) Komives of Mansfield, OH and Sandra (Joey) Shepard of Culver; one son, Charles "Bryan" (Mary) Abner of North Judson; 11 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, Claude Abner; his mother, Myrtle (Hall) Buzbee; and three sisters.

Funeral services will be Friday, November 3, 2017 at 1:00 p.m. CDT at Rannells Funeral Home, Hamlet Chapel. Burial with Military Graveside Services will follow at Eagle Creek Cemetery, Knox. Friends may visit Friday at the funeral home from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.