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DECATUR MAN, 46, SUFFOCATES IN FIRE

DECATUR - Services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Trinity Evangelical United Brethren Church for Theodore (Ted) Sovine, 46, an employe of Fuelling Inc., who died of suffocation Saturday night in a fire in his apartment in the Black Apartments at Decatur.

Rev. J. O. Penrod will officiate, and burial will be in the Ray Cemetery at Monroe.

Mr. Sovine, dead on arrival at the Adams County Memorial Hospital, was found in the bathroom of his apartment following a fire in the living room of his apartment.

He was a member of the Trinity Evangelical United Brethren Church and Moose Lodge. Surviving are the widow, Glenola; a daughter, Mrs. Patricia DeLong of New Haven, and three sisters, Mrs. A. N. Hilton of Decatur, Mrs. L. F. Sapp of Decatur Route 5 and Mrs. Keith Brown of Homer, NY.

The body is at the Zwick Funeral Home, where friends may call after 7 p.m. today. It will be taken to the church at noon on Wednesday.