

## DECATUR MAN IS KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

DECATUR, Ind. - Norbert H. Bultemeier, 33, Decatur auto mechanic, was injured fatally when his automobile crashed against the rear of a transport truck about 12:20 a.m. Sunday, two miles west of Decatur on U.S. route 224.

Bultemeier sustained a skull fracture and a crushed chest and he died at the Adams County Memorial Hospital. His daughter, Deborah Kay, 4, is in the hospital receiving treatment for a minor brain concussion and scalp lacerations.

Joseph D. Myer, 28, of Farmington, Mich., told officers that he had stopped his truck at the Erie railroad crossing while a train was passing.

The victim, a World War Two veteran, is survived by his wife, two daughters, his step-mother and seven step-sisters.

Rites will be conducted at 2 p.m. (CST) Tuesday at the Zion Lutheran Church, Rev. Edgar P. Schmidt to officiate. Burial will be in St. John's Lutheran Cemetery at Bigen.

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