

HERBERT J. HESS

Herbert J. Hess, 69, of 329 N. Fourth St., died at 9 a.m. Friday at the Adams County Memorial Hospital after being stricken suddenly a brief time earlier at his residence.

A lifelong resident of Adams County, he was born September 12, 1912, the son of Peter and Mary Kohne-Hess. He was married November 26, 1936, to Julia M. Colpaert, who survives.

Mr. Hess retired in 1978 after 15 years of service with the Hoosier Wire & Die Company of Ft. Wayne.

He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, the Holy Name Society, Knights of Columbus Council 864 and the Loyal Order of Moose Lodge 1311.

Also surviving are three sons, Paul R., Decatur; Joseph R. of Pickens, South Carolina; and Daniel D. Hess of Honolulu, Hawaii; four brothers, Edward, Ft. Wayne; Robert and Norbert, Decatur; and James Hess of Huntsville, Ala.; one sister, Mrs. James (Eileen) Bogan of Chicago, Ill.; and seven grandchildren. Two brothers are deceased.

A Mass of Resurrection will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday in St. Mary's Catholic Church, with Father John E. Gillig as celebrant. Burial will be in the Catholic Cemetery.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. Saturday at the Gillig-Doan & Sefton Funeral Home. Moose memorial services will be conducted at 8 p.m. Saturday. The rosary will be recited at 8:30 p.m. Sunday. Preferred memorials are to the St. Mary's Parish Improvement Fund and the Adams County Heart Association.

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