

Lehnford L. "Bud" Bohnke, 78, of Decatur, IN passed away on Monday, April 14, 2014 at St. Joseph Medical Center in Ft. Wayne. He was born on September 27, 1935 in Decatur, IN to the late Herman and Louise (Bienz) Bohnke.

Bud was a self-employed farmer. He was a member of St. Peter Lutheran Church-Fuelling. He was a member of the D.H.I.A. Dairy Association. He sold and produced milk for Allen Dairy which became Prairie Farms Dairy for over 50 years.

Bud is survived by his children; Kaylehn (Larry) Brunner and Rita (Jim) Hill both of Decatur, IN, Eric (Melissa) Bohnke of Walkerton, IN, Arnita (Brian) Heyerly of Monroe, IN and Mark (Alysse) Bohnke of Decatur, IN; 16 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son Willmott and a brother Willmott.

Visitation will be on Thursday, April 17, 2014 from 4:00-8:00 p.m. at Haggard-Sefton & Hirschy Funeral Home. Funeral service will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, April 18, 2014 also at the funeral home. Rev. Martin K. Moehring will be officiating. Burial will be in St. Peter Lutheran Church Cemetery.

Memorials are to St. Peter Immanuel Lutheran School.

Haggard-Sefton & Hirschy Funeral Home online obit (accessed 4-14-2014)