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Deceased Name: HERMAN BURKE BERNE - 1909-1999

Herman Burke, 90, of Berne, a retired farmer, died Tuesday, Jan. 26, 1999, at Swiss Village.

The Adams County native had also worked for Berne Furniture in the framing department, for Swiss Village in maintenance, was a former Wabash Township School Board member and a member of First Mennonite Church. Surviving are his wife, Virginia; sons Fred of Fort Wayne, William of Huntington and Don of Berne; daughters Elizabeth Koons of Decatur, Sue Wulliman of Berne and Gretchen Lautzenheiser of Terre Haute; sisters Lillian Liechty and Esther Shedron, both of Berne; 16 grandchildren; and 26 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a brother, two sisters and a grandson. Services are 2 p.m. Friday at Swiss Village Chapel, Berne, with calling from noon until services and also from 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the chapel. Burial will be in M.R.E. Cemetery, Berne. Memorials are to Swiss Village Assistance Fund or First Mennonite Church Missions.

Information provided by Yager-Kirchhofer Funeral Home, Berne, 1-219-589-3101.