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Don F. Keller, 69, Berne, died at 12:21 a.m. Sunday [11/26/2006] in Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne. He was born on April 12, 1937, in Adams County to Floyd and Lela Keller. He married Colleen Egly on June 23, 1956; she survives. He was a former teacher and a coach, having worked at Berne High School and Bluffton High School. He also co-owned Hickory Hills Golf Club in Bluffton; was a former officer of the Bluffton Teachers' Association, the Berne Lions Club, and the Berne Little League; was involved with Berne recreation facilities; and was a member of Adams County Crime Stoppers. Mr. Keller was a member of First Missionary Church in Berne. Other survivors are his stepfather, Elmer "Pat" Ludy of Fremont; four sons, Greg Keller of Berne; Curt Keller of Pekin, Illinois; Kent Keller of Orlando, Florida; and Scott Keller of Avon, Illinois; a daughter, Mrs. Chad (Renee) Captain of Bluffton; three brothers, Richard Keller of Van Wert, Ohio; Thomas Ludy of Waterloo; and John Ludy of Fremont; two sisters, Janet Fleming of Devil's Lake, North Dakota, and Judy Grogg of Delphos, Ohio; and 10 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in First Missionary Church, with burial in MRE Cemetery, rural Berne. Visiting hours are 2-8 p.m. Tuesday in Yager-Kirchhofer Funeral Home, Berne, and 9:30-10:30 a.m. Wednesday in the church. Preferred memorials are to Campus Crusade for Christ and/or to church mission project.