

Dale LeRoy Hawkins

July 11, 1918- Nov. 11, 2004

HUNTINGTON - Dale LeRoy Hawkins, 86, died Thursday in Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

He retired from the city of Decatur.

Survivors include sons, Dale Louis, Huntington, and Deon, Florida; siblings, Kenneth, Florida, David, Southport, Vera Sudduth, Decatur, Dorothy DeArmond, Berne, Mazetta Metcalf, Monroe, and Mary Bauman, Fort Wayne; five grandchildren; and two stepgrandchildren.

Services: 3 p.m. Sunday in First Church of the Nazarene, 1555 Flaxmill. Burial: Decatur Cemetery.

Visitation: 3 to 8 p.m. today, Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 W. Park Drive; 2 p.m. until services Sunday, church.

Memorials may be made to First Church of the Nazarene building fund, care of the funeral home.

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**Huntington Herald, Huntington, Indiana, Obituaries (no date)**

Dale LeRoy Hawkins, 86, 208 W. State St., died at 11:05 p.m. Thursday (Nov. 11, 2004) at Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

Mr. Hawkins worked for the city of Decatur until his retirement in 1983. He was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene, Huntington, and belonged to the Primetime Fellowship Group. He graduated from the Nazarene Academy in Olivet, Ill., and attended Olivet (Ill.) Nazarene University.

He was born July 11, 1918, in Monroeville, to LeRoy C. and Mabel Sprague Hawkins. He married Juanita LuEllen Humble Jan. 31, 1942, in Henderson, Ky. His wife died Feb. 15, 1996.

Survivors include two sons, Dale Louis Hawkins, Huntington, and Deon L. Hawkins, Pensacola, Fla.; two brothers, Kenneth Hawkins, Brooksville, Fla., and David Hawkins, Southport; four sisters, Vera Sudduth, Decatur, Dorothy DeArmond, Berne, Mazetta Metcalf, Monroe, and Mrs. Amos (Mary Alive) Bauman, Fort Wayne; and five grandchildren and two stepgrandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Alvin Hawkins and George Hawkins.

Calling is 3-8 p.m. Saturday at the Bailey-Love Mortuary and from 2-03 p.m. Sunday at the First Church of the Nazarene. Services will be held at the church at 3 p.m. Sunday, with Rev. Kevin Dunlop and Rev. Gene Vickrey officiating. Burial will be at the Decatur Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Church of the Nazarene Building Fund in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 W. Park Dr., Huntington IN 46750.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [baileylove@sbcglobal.net](mailto:baileylove@sbcglobal.net).