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David E. Heare

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David E. Heare, 62, of Monroe, a member of Eagles Aerie 2653, died Tuesday, March 6, 2001, at Adams County Memorial Hospital.

The Adams County native had worked for Sprint for 43 years, was a member of Loyal Order of Moose Lodge 1311 and American Legion Post 43. Surviving are his wife, Darlene; a son, Donald E. of Portland; a stepson, David A. Messersmith of Van Buren; daughters Rose Combs and Diane Brown, both of Decatur; a stepdaughter, Cynthia K. Eakins of Indianapolis; a brother, John of Stockton, Calif.; sisters Bonnie Heare of Mesa, Ariz., and Darlene Heare of Fort Wayne; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Evelyn, a daughter, Lisa Filips, and two brothers. Services are 1 p.m. Friday at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur, with calling from 2:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday. Burial with military graveside services will be at Decatur Cemetery. Memorials are to Adams County Home Health.

Information provided by Haggard and Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur, 1-219-724-7167.