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John L. Hefner Jr.

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John L. Hefner Jr., 78, of Decatur, a member of First United Methodist Church, died Friday, Dec. 3, 1999, at home.

The Mount Etna native had retired as a parole officer and was the superintendent of the Northern District of Indiana. He also worked for Krick & Tyndall and was a farmer. He was a member of American Legion Post 43, Masonic Lodge No. 483, Decatur Rotary Club, Scottish Rite, a past president of Adams County Shrine Club, and a United States Army veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Mary; a son, John S. of Fort Wayne; daughters Susan Baumann and Lisa Kocher of Decatur; a brother, Richard of Huntington; and five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a brother.

Services are 10 a.m. Wednesday at Zwick & Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur. Calling is from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday with Masonic services at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Graveside services are by Adams Post No. 43 Color Guard. Burial will be in Decatur Cemetery.

Memorials are to Heartland Hospice.

Information provided by Zwick & Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur, 1-219-724-9164.