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Richard A. Martin

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Richard A. Martin, 78, of Decatur, a retired farmer, died Thursday, April 18, 2002, at home.

The Adams County native was a member of St. Mark's United Methodist Church, Optimists Club, Monroe Lions Club and Adams County Gideons and Heart Club. Surviving are his wife, Helen; a son, Dr. Neil F. of Niles, Mich.; a daughter, Cheryll Spierer of Monroeville, Pa.; a brother, Robert of Auburn; and five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by seven brothers and six sisters. Services are 2 p.m. Sunday at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, Decatur, with calling one hour before services. Calling is also from 7 to 9 p.m. today with an 8:45 p.m. Optimists service and also from 2 to 9 p.m. Saturday at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur. Burial will be at Decatur Cemetery. Memorials are to the church or Adams County Heart Club.

Information provided by Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur, 1-260-724-7167.