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Perry Smith

Private family services for Perry E. Smith, 87, former of 4025 Lower Huntington Road, Fort Wayne, will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Elzey-Dickey-Haggard Home for Funerals in Waynedale. He died at 9:40 a.m. Saturday in the Lutheran Home.

A native of Adams County, he was the son of Harvey and Sarah Ann Rowe-Smith. His wife, Ruth, died on March 22, 1978.

He was a retired building contractor and was a charter member of the Waynedale Lions Club, where he was active for 40 years.

He is survived by two daughters, Mary Lou Adkisson, Fort Wayne, and Margaret A. Piatt, Jacksonville, Fla., and a sister, Ocie Durr, Decatur.

Burial will be in Decatur Cemetery. Friends may call from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home.