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Death Takes Benhard Sorg

Father of Men Opening New Store Here, Dies at Fort Wayne

Fort Wayne May 1 -

Funeral services for Benhard Sorg, 61, 817 W. DeWald St., who died late Friday night at St. Joseph's Hospital where he was admitted last Wednesday, will be held Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at the residence and at 9 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Rt. Rev. D. Lawrence Monahan officiating. Burial will be at Sheldon. The body was taken home Saturday evening from Mungovan & Sons Mortuary.

The deceased was a member of St. Patrick's Church. He was born in Pleasant Twp. and had resided here the last 32 years.

Survivors include the widow, Matilda Van Allen Sorg; three sons, Sylvester H. and Walter A. of Decatur, who are opening a new store in Berne and Melvin F. Sorg of Oakland, Cal.; three sisters, Mrs. Frank Steinacher and Mrs. Louis Wilkie of this city and Mrs. Frank Lahrman of Pleasant Twp.; six brothers, John, Anthony, Roman, and Andrew Sorg of this city, Lambert of Pleasant Twp. and Robert Sorg of Houston, Texas.

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