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Basil Hendrix

March 9, 1917-Oct. 12, 2008

Basil O. Hendrix, 91, 6798 North 250 West, Bryant, died Sunday at his home.

Born in Council Bluffs, Iowa, to James Robert and Jeannie Lee (Farris) Hendrix, he was married on Oct. 11, 1947, to Helen Parkinson, who died on Aug. 16.

A veteran of the Home Guard during World War II, he had worked at The Commercial Review and Citizens Bank, both of Portland.

He was a member of Portland First Church of the Nazarene.

Survivors include two sons, Duane Hendrix, Mount Summit, and Robert Hendrix, Lexington Park, Md.; five daughters, Mrs. Mark (Betsy) Eger, Oklahoma City, Okla., Mrs. David (Cathy) Osenbaugh, Portland, Mrs. Michael (Jennifer) Cook, Danville, Mrs. Merrell (Lisa) George, Selma, and Mrs. Larry (Julie) Miller, Bryant; a sister, Geraldine Gant, Columbus, Ohio; 14 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services are Thursday at 10 a.m. at Baird Freeman Funeral Home with Pastor Paul Stroup officiating. Burial will be in Gravel Hill Cemetery, west of Bryant.

Visitation is Wednesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Memorials may be sent to State of the Heart Hospice.

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