Robert L. Armstrong, 69, the father of a Bluffton resident, died Monday, June 20, 2011,

at Persimmon Ridge of Portland.

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Mr. Armstrong was born June 10, 1942, in Morehead, Ky., to Ray Armstrong and Ora Ingram Armstrong. He married Mildred G. Edmundson July 8, 1978; his wife survives in Portland.

(Brenda) Armstrong and Ralph (Candy) Armstrong, both of Portland.

Survivors include two daughters, Robin Darlene (Pete) Stults of Bluffton and Rita (Robert) Brotherton of Portland; two sons, Robert (Susan) Armstrong Jr. and Russell (Kelli) Armstrong, both of Portland; three stepdaughters, Sheryl (Steve) Stocktown of rural Portland, Anita (Weldon) Hines of Redkey, and Marty (Jimmy) Redford of Portland; two stepsons, Rex Edmundson Jr. of Pennville and Gary (Christina) Edmundson of Tucson, Ariz.; 17 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren; two sisters,

Patty Hostetler of rural Portland and Shirley Lewis of Portland; and two brothers, Jim

Calling will be from 3 to 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Williamson and Spencer Funeral Home in Portland. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Burial

will be at the Green Park Cemetery in Portland.

Online condolences: www.williamsonspencer.com

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