

Ralph H. Ashcraft

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Ralph H. Ashcraft age 83, 515 East Walnut Street Portland passed away Monday evening in the I.U. Ball Memorial Hospital in Muncie. He was born in Bryant March 9, 1928 the son of Walter and Dorothy (Ralph) Ashcraft. He was married May 16, 1953 to Mary Ann Schabacker who survives.

He was a Korean War U.S. Army veteran. He retired from Delco Battery in Muncie and was a member of the Peace Lutheran Church in Berne, Sam's Camping Club and American Legion Post #211 in Portland.

Surviving are his wife Mary Ann, one son Paul Ashcraft of Albany, two daughters Ruth Wheeler of Convoy, Ohio and Ramona Collins of Virginia, Eleven grandchildren and three great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a daughter Pam Dearing.

Funeral services will be Friday at 10:00 A.M. in the Peace Lutheran Church in Berne with Pastor Don Sauls presiding. Burial will follow in the Green Park Cemetery in Portland with military rites by American Legion Post #211. Visitation will be Thursday from 4:00 – 8:00 P.M. in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home. Memorials can be made to the Peace Lutheran Church.

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