



Richard DeWayne Gaskill age 56, 5900 North Street Salamoniam died Tuesday at his residence. He was born in Jay County February 16, 1954 the son of Joseph and Esther (Maddox) Gaskill. He was married April 17, 1992 to Penny Boolman who survives. He was production supervisor at Coca-Cola having worked there for thirty nine years. He was a member of Salamoniam Fire Department, Salamoniam Town Board and Portland Moose Lodge.

Surviving are his wife Penny, father Joseph Gaskill of Portland, one son Zachary Gaskill of Portland, two daughters Mrs. Brian (Staci) Keen of Portland and

Mandy Elsworth of Portland, step-son Nathan Romine of Portland, brother Joe Gaskill of Portland, sister Mrs. Jim (Jane) Platz of Constantine, Mi. Five grandchildren He was preceded in death by a sister Peggy Coats.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 10:00 A.M. in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home with Pastor Bruce Phillips presiding. Burial will follow in the Salamoniam Cemetery . Visitation will be Friday from 3:00 - 7:00 P.M. Memorials can be made to the Jay County Cancer Society or State of the Heart Hospice.

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