

CLAY & SYLVIA McCLAIN SMILEY

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Mr. and Mrs. Clay SMILEY will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house, Sunday March 25 from 2 to 4 at their farm home 1 ½ miles south of Milligan. Sylvia McClain and Clay Smiley were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob McClain near Milligan March 28, 1906 by Rev. GW Allee, pastor of the Waveland Methodist Church. Mr. Smiley was born in the house in which they now live. The house was built by his grandfather Smiley about 1874 on ground which he had purchased in 1864. The Clay Smileys moved onto the home place in 1910 and bought it two years later. Mr. and Mrs. Smiley have five children, Mrs. Marcenia McCutchan and Mrs. Eloise Phipps, both of Greene Twp, Melvin Smiley and Mrs. Evelyn Northcutt of Crawfordsville and Mrs. Martha Jean Neier of Yountsville. They also have 17 grandchildren and one great granddaughter. A grandson, A3/C Jesse Smiley is with the USAF in Germany. All relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend the open house. - kbz

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