



Robert L. Simmers

March 22, 2006

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FAX 812-482-1193 Dateline Jasper, Indiana Robert L. Simmers age 68 of Jasper died at 2:28 a.m. today (Wednesday, March 22, 2006) in the Memorial Hospital and Health Care Center in Jasper. He was born on August 12, 1937 at Sullivan, Indiana to Lee Simmers and Helen (Collins) Pirtle. Married to Elizabeth Krieg on September 13, 1969. He graduated from Sullivan High School where he was president of his graduating class of 1955. He was a U.S. Navy Veteran - He retired from Heilig- Meyers Furniture Company in Jasper.

Bob worked at WITZ Radio station in Jasper for 23 years in the Sports and News Departments. He received many awards from the Indiana Sportscasters Association. He also worked for the Indiana State Police as a Radio Dispatcher. His memberships include Shiloh United Methodist Church in Jasper – President of the Joy Club of his church - John Purdue Club – Past member of the Jasper Kiwanis Club and past Lt Governor of Kiwanis Club – Past member of the Navy Club. Surviving is his wife Elizabeth 2 sons, Alex Simmers, and spouse April Jasper, IN Kevin Simmers and spouse Heather, Quincy, MI 3 daughters, Amanda Simmers, Fishers, IN Mrs. Rodger “Kimberly” Smith, Sullivan, IN Mrs. Doug “Paula” Followell, Shelburn, IN

1 sister, Sally Boyles, Jasper, IN

1 Aunt, Mary Simmers, Sullivan, IN

7 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren Funeral services for Bob Simmers will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday (March 25, 2006) at Shiloh United Methodist Church with burial to follow in Shiloh Cemetery in Jasper. The Rev. Stephen Seitz and the Rev. Gerald Frye will officiate. V.F.W. Post # 673 in Jasper will conduct Military Grave Side Rites.

Friends may call from 2-8 p.m. Friday at the Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel in Jasper and one hour before services at the church.

Memorial contributions may be made to Shiloh United Methodist Church in Jasper.

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert L. Simmers*

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