



Arvin Phelps

June 21, 1944 - December 23, 2008

Arvin Phelps, 64, of New Castle died Tuesday, December 23, 2008 in his home following a brief illness.

He was born June 21, 1944 in Somerset, Kentucky, a son of the late Leslie and Lora Phelps.

Arvin was a 1962 graduate of Chrysler High School. He worked in skilled trades at Chrysler Corporation for many years, retiring in 1994. He was a long-time member of the Eagles Lodge #933, where he served as a past Worthy President and held many other offices over the years. He loved baseball and coached Little League, Babe Ruth and the All Stars several times. He also enjoyed NASCAR.

He is survived by his wife, Daneeta; a daughter, Lisa Neal of New Castle; a son, Bradley (wife: Robin) Phelps of Indianapolis; three grandchildren, Summer Neal, Tyler Neal and Joshua Phelps; one great-granddaughter, Gracelyn Butler; two sisters, Louellen (husband: Donald) Malkemus of Hagerstown and Delpha (husband: Sherman) Sawyer of Columbia, South Carolina and a brother, Leon (wife: Ruth) Phelps of New Castle.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by a brother, Hollis Phelps.

Services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, December 27, 2008 at Sproles Family Funeral Home with Rev. Monte Vincent officiating. Burial will follow in South Mound Cemetery West Lawn Addition.

Friends may call Friday from 4 – 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the New Castle Henry County Animal Shelter or the New Castle Henry County Emergency Unit. You may send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ To the Phelps family,
Sorry to hear of the passing of Arvin, or "BO", as we knew him. I played Babe Ruth with him on the Meadow Gold team that was managed by my dad Ernie. He won many games as a pitcher when he was 14. We also played together for the Trojans and he was a great catcher.
Again, sorry for your loss.
Dave Laird

Dave Laird - December 26, 2008 at 12:32 AM

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“ Danetta, Lisa and Brad, I have so many child hood memories of "Uncle Arvin". I will certainly miss him. Our prayes to all of you...
Randy, Molly, Mikayla and Tristan.

Randy Phelps - December 24, 2008 at 06:29 PM