



Edgar Ballard, Jr

June 19, 2009

Edgar Ballard, Jr., age 63, of Hamilton, passed away surrounded by his family and friends on Friday, June 19, 2009 at 4:05 a.m in Hospice of Hamilton. He was born in Irvin, Kentucky on October 4, 1945. He was a 1964 graduate of Fairfield High School and married Rita Post on August 16, 1965 in Richmond, Kentucky. He was employed as a supervisor at Southwestern Ohio Steel for 35 years, retiring in 2004. Later he was employed at United Performance Metal for five years, retiring January 31, 2009. He was a member of St. Peter in Chains Catholic Church and the Moose Lodge. He loved working in his yard and was a very active dart player. Darts being his favorite sport; he was a member of the Dixie Dart League and the Associated Vending Dart League. He is survived by his wife, Rita; two sons, Jimi Ballard of Hamilton and Jodi Ballard and friend Anne DeDecker of Monroe and four grandchildren, Jamie Ballard, Chase Ballard, Griffin Ballard and Carson Ballard. Private funeral services will be held at the convenience of the family. Memorials may be directed to Hospice of Hamilton 1010 Eaton Avenue, Hamilton, Ohio 45013.