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JOHN TOWNER

John Towner, 74, Odessa, died Saturday, June 12, 1999, at his home.

Mr. Towner was born Nov. 2, 1924, in Van Buren, Mo., and lived in Kansas City before moving to the Pittsville, Mo., area in 1978. He moved to Odessa three years ago. He was a mechanic for Western Auto, retiring in 1972.

His survivors include his wife, Norma Mae Rennison Towner of the home; one son, Bruce Jeffery Towner, Higginsville, Mo.; two daughters and sons-in-law, Barbara J. and Mitchell Watson, Kansas City, and Brenda June and Jason Young, Holden, Mo.; seven grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

A memorial service will be held at 7 tonight at his daughter's home, Barbara Watson, 10813 Bristol Terrace, Kansas City. There will be a private scattering of his ashes. Arrangements are under the direction of the Ralph O. Jones Funeral Home in Odessa.