Riley G. Edwards, 66

Riley Garnett Edwards, 66, of Boonville died Monday, June 19, 2000 at Boone Hospital Center in Columbia. Funeral services were at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Santa Fe Baptist Church with the Rev. Tim Faber and Rev. Chester Marshal officiating. Burial was in Walnut Grove Cemetery. Pallbearers were Gary Nivens, Steve Potter, Jeff Ward, Dan Potter, John Potter, and Larry Settle.

Mr. Edwards was born Aug. 21, 1933 at Prairie Home, son of John Garnett and Virginia Florence Byler Edwards. He married Carol Jean Potter on June 28, 1958 in Lupus, Mo. She survives. He lived his entire life in Cooper County. He was active in Babe Ruth baseball and the Booster Club. He was a member of Santa Fe Trail Baptist Church. He was a salesman for Lady Baltimore foods prior to his retirement. He was a veteran of the Korean War.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Dennis Edwards of Boonville; two daughters, Barbie Muri of Jamestown and Kathy Adams of Boonville; four brothers, Gilbert Edwards of Kansas City, Mo., Robert Edwards of Corning, N.Y., Wayne Edwards of Nashville; and Ronald Edwards of Boonville; two sisters, Nevelyn Nivens of Jamestown and Shirley Potter of Boonville; 10 grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents.
Memorials are suggested to the Santa Fe Trail Baptist Church or the Cancer Association.