James Henry Button, age 81, of Lamar, passed away Saturday, November 22, 2008, at Truman Healthcare Center.

Jim was born August 30, 1927, in Carthage, Missouri, to George and Blanche (Coons) Button. Except for the time he served in the U.S. Army during World War II, Jim was a life-long area resident. He was a long-time Barton County farmer and had also worked as a truck driver. Jim enjoyed serving his community as a storm spotter with the Barton County Alert Squad and had been active in American Legion Post #209 for many years.

Survivors include a sister and brother-in-law, Margaret & Hollis Hands of Amarillo, Texas; a niece Mary & husband Sam Harrell of Claude, Texas; two nephews, Dr. Martin Hands and Robert & wife Paula Hands, all of Amarillo; twelve great-nieces and great nephews, Kaleigh, Holly, Lisa, Jacob, Marti, Andrew, Thomas, Annie, Isaac and Josiah Hands and Helen & Faith Harrell.

IN MEMORY OF James Button

August 30, 1927 ~ November 22, 2008

MILITARY HONORS

V.F.W. Post #3691 3:00 p.m. Monday November 24, 2008 Daniel Funeral Home

AT REST

I.O.O.F. Cemetery

Isaiah 41:10

Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness.