

Robert Francis Locke

Robert Francis Locke, 83, Lamar, Missouri, passed away Wednesday, September 27, 2006 at 4:15 p.m. at the Barton County Memorial Hospital in Lamar, Missouri, following a lengthy illness.

Robert was born April 2, 1923, in Nevada, Missouri, to William Francis and Leota E. (McWilliam) Locke. He was a truck driver. He had driven for several companies retiring from the Yellow Freight Truck Lines.

Robert married Thelma (Ambler) Locke on November 4, 1947 in Nevada, Missouri. She preceded him in death on June 17, 1999.

Survivors include one son, Gary Locke and wife, Marge, of Hammersville, Ohio; two daughters, Terri Braker and husband, Tim, of Iantha, MO and Trudy Wright of Lamar, MO; two brothers, Ben and Gloria Locke of Nevada, MO and Elmer and Pauline Locke of Springfield, MO; one sister, Betty and Dan Parker of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa; nine grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Thelma; one son-in-law, Roy Wright, and one brother, Cecil Locke.

Robert was a member of the Teamsters Union. He had served in the National Guard. He was of Christian faith.

In Memory Of

**Robert Francis Locke
April 2, 1923 ~ September 27, 2006**

**Graveside Services
Monday ~ October 2, 2006 ~ 2:00 p.m.
Tolson Cemetery
Sheldon, Missouri**

**Officiating
Minister Clyde Hendricks
Vocalist ~ Bob Poindexter
Song "Beyond The Grave"**

**Pallbearers
"Grandsons"
Russell Harmon ~ Shannon Greene ~ Brandon Harmon
Teague Braker ~ Trent Braker
Trey Braker ~ Jace Braker**

**Interment
Tolson Cemetery, Sheldon, Missouri**

**Arrangements Under Direction of
Konantz-Warden Funeral Home, Lamar, Missouri**

