



## David M. Bassler

August 4, 1938 - November 7, 2005

David Michael Bassler, age 67, of Highland Ill., died Monday, November 7, 2005, at Saint Joseph Hospital in Highland.

He was born August 4, 1938 in Highland, IL, the son of Delmar and the late Kathlyn (Hayes) Bassler. On May 29, 1965, he married Jenny L. Bassler, nee Vogel, who survives.

David grew up in Trenton and graduated from Trenton High School in 1956. He attended Indiana University and earned a BS in Accounting. He worked as an auditor for Ernst & Ernst in St. Louis and then worked for Pet Inc. from 1965 until his retirement in 1991 as a Product Accountant. After his retirement, he assisted with the operation of Highland Subway. He loved watching and listening to sports. He was an Indiana Hoosier basketball fan and liked local sports. He loved to read and had a great fondness for his great nieces and nephews.

He was a member of St. John's United Church of Christ in Trenton and the Trenton Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include Daughter-Dawn W. Bassler, (Fiance Dean Beaucage) of Maryland Heights, Mo., Brother-Patrick H. (Patricia) Bassler of Trenton, Ill., Aunt-Helen Bassler of Aviston, Ill., Niece-Lisa (Michael) Cox, Niece-Connie (David) Lihs, Nephew-Ryan Bassler, Nephew-Michael (Julie) Lombardi, Nephew-Craig (Amy) Lombardi, Nephew-Steven Blake, Nephew-Kent (Kathy) Hubbs, Nephew-Kris Hubbs, Nephew-Kyle (Stephanie) Hubbs, Sister-In-Law-Marlene (Jim) Blake, Sister-In-Law-Sharron Lovato, and Sister-In-Law-Ramona (Dr. Jim) Brown.

He was also preceded in death by Brother-Phillip Bassler, Brother-Timothy Bassler, Sister-Penelope Bassler