Harold F. Barhorst

Harold F. Barhorst, 77, died at 9:30 a.m. Monday, July 17, 2006, at the Versailles Health Care Center in Versailles. He had formerly lived on East Sixth Street in Minster.

He was born Sept. 9, 1928, in Fort Loramie to Albert and Anna (Barlage) Barhorst, who are deceased. Two brother-in-laws, Orville Mangen and Vernon Vondenhuevel also preceded him in death'.

Mr. Barhorst is survived by three sisters, three brothers and their spouses: Alma Mangen, New Bremen; Albert (Marty) Barhorst, Minster; Norma (LeRoy) Koverman, Van Wert; Carl (Eileen) Barhorst, Fort Loramie; Joan Vondenhuevel, Minster; and Ernest (Joann) Barhorst, Fort Loramie.

There are 16 nieces and nephews surviving.

Mr. Barhorst was a U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean War and had been stationed in Alaska.

He retired from the Minster Machine Company in

1989 after 40 years service.

Funeral services will be at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, July 20, 2006, at the Gehret Funeral Home, Fort Loramie, with the Rev. Chris Barhorst officiating. Burial will follow at St. Augustine Cemetery, Minster.

Visiting hours are 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday and from 8 to 9 a.m. Thursday at Gehret Funeral Home.