## Edward J. Pleiman

Edward J. Pleiman Jr., 59, of Maria Stein, died Thursday, June 14, 2007, at 10:20 a.m. at University Hospital in Cincinnati after a six-week long illness.

Born March 16, 1948, he was the son of Edward Sr. and Margaret (Schafer) Pleiman, who preceded him in death. On Oct. 3, 1970, he married Linda A. Moeller in Maria Stein. She survives him.

Also surviving him are children Todd (Kelly) Pleiman, of Dayton; Amy (Paul) Knapke, of Maria



Stein; Gail Pleiman and Ric Mueller, of Maria Stein and Kelly Pleiman, of Maria Stein; siblings Mary Dahlinghaus, of Maria Stein; Dolores (Bob) Van Leeuwen, of Dayton; Helen Grogean, of Versailles; Ellen (John) Grillot, of Versailles; James ( Joan) Pleiman, of Maria Stein; Nicholas (Rosie) Pleiman, of Celina; Sister Grace Miriam Pleiman, SFP, of New

York; Jerome (Jan) Pleiman, of Dayton; Johanna (Charlie) Koesters, of Coldwater; Teresa (Bill) Winner, of Maria Stein and grandchildren Jack and Ella Pleiman and Jacob, Alex and Jenna Knapke.

Preceding him in death also were infant sister Irene Pleiman and brothers-in-law Norbert Dahlinghaus,

James Grogean and Larry Harlamert.

A member of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Cassella, he was a lector and usher of the church, as well as was involved in the Men's Sodality of the church.

He was also a member of the Knights of St. John in Maria Stein, Catholic Knights of America in Cassella, a volunteer at The Center for Neurological Development in Burkettsville for 20 years, a member of the Marion Band Boosters and Marion Athletic Boosters and a volunteer for the booster field and other projects.

years, and had been employed with Serenity Music, co-owner of P.E.M. Turkey Farms and owner and operator of Pleiman Landscaping in Cassella.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, June 19, 2007, at St. John the Baptist Church in Maria Stein with the Rev. Kenneth Schroeder presiding and burial following at the cemetery of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Cassella.

Memorial donations may be sent to the American Liver Foundation and The Center for Neurological Development in Burkettsville. In lieu of thank you cards, an additional donation will be made.

Hogenkamp Funeral Home in Minster provided arrangements. Online condolences may be expressed at www.hogenkampfh.com.