



Robert E. Denniston

June 16, 2008 - June 16, 2008

Anderson - Robert E. Denniston, 74, Anderson, died June 16, 2008 at St. Johns Health System, Anderson. He was born December 27, 1933 in Michigan. He came to Anderson and graduated from Anderson College and Theological Seminary. He married Dorothy Speagle on June 25, 1955. He worked for 30 years for the Department of Workforce Development, and retired in January of 1996. He had a great passion for genealogy, and enjoyed doing census work. Devoted to Maple Grove Church of God, he was a beloved Sunday School teacher, committee and board member over the years. He had a great sense of humor. In the Anderson Community over the years, he served on the Private Industry Council, was a 6 years member of the Board of Directors of the Community Action Program. He served 20 years as President and board member of the Mental Health Association of Madison County. For a number of years, he was active in the Alliance on Mental Illness, serving as a board member as well as board president. He was very active in the NAMI Madison County support group, and the Anderson Noon Lions Club. In 1996, he received the Distinguished Hoosier Award from Gov. Evan Bayh. He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Speagle Denniston of Anderson; two sons, David Jennie Denniston of Anderson and Greg Cindy Denniston of Indianapolis; brother, Wayne E. Vivian Denniston of Haslett, Michigan; sister, Dorothy Bill Wilson of Allegan, Michigan and two grandchildren, Daniel Carrie Denniston and Amalea Jeremihua Davis of Anderson. He was preceded in death by a sister, Joan Hemmelein and his parents, Asel and Nella Smith

Denniston. Services will be Thursday, June 19, 2008 at 10:00 AM, at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, South Chapel; 200 W. 53rd Street; Anderson, with Rev. Daniel Kihm officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery-Anderson. Visitation will be from 4-8:00 PM, Wednesday, June 18, 2008 at the funeral home, south chapel. Memorial contributions may be made to NAMI-Madison County; PO Box 22697; Indianapolis, IN 46222 or Maple Grove Church of God; 2729 E. 38th Street; Anderson, IN 46013. www.LooseFuneralHomes.com

Tribute Wall

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“ Greg and Cindy, Your father/father-in-law was a great man! He always greeted me at NAMI meetings with a warm smile and a hug. Greg, he was so proud of you! Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Andrea Green - June 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Bob has made a lasting impression on our lives and we are blessed by having known him.

Lew & Mary Jean Masters - June 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM