



## John Edward McAtee

January 26, 1956 - October 30, 2008

John Edward McAtee, 52, of Bloomington formerly of Newark, passed away 3:30 p.m. Thursday, October 30, 2008 at his residence.

Born January 26, 1956 in Crawfordsville, he was the son of John Harris and Dorothy Jean (Rutledge) McAtee.

He was the long time proprietor of the Newark General Store and was a machinist for Greiner Engineering in Bloomington. He was a member of the Newark Baptist Church and an avid fisherman.

Surviving relatives include: his father and stepmother, John and Anna McAtee of Mitchell; one brother, Robert McAtee and his daughters, Jessica, Amber, and Samantha all of Bloomington; two sisters, April Wise and her finace' Brian Askins of Spencer and Debbie Ramsey and her sons Cody and Cory all of Spencer; two stepbrothers, Dwayne and his wife Brenda Lynn of Solsberry and Danny and his wife Anita Lynn of Phoenix, Arizona; two stepsisters, Pam and her husband Dave Decker of Solsberry and Beatrice Williams of Bedford. He was preceded in death by his mother, Dorothy Jean McAtee on October 8, 2008.

Funeral services will be conducted 12:00 p.m. Thursday, November 6, 2008 at Jenkins & Sons Funeral Home in Bloomfield, with Rev. Raymond New officiating. A private graveside service will be held at a later date in Newark cemetery in rural Solsberry.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday and from 10:00 a.m. until the hour of services Thursday at the funeral home.

The family asks that all memorial contributions be made to the Volunteers in Medicine 333 East Miller Drive Bloomington, Indiana 47401.

Online condolences to the family are available at [www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ We were so sorry to hear of John's passing. He was always so nice to everyone who came into the store. Even after the store closed if I saw him around town he would always take the time to stop and say Hi and ask how everyone was. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

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**The Porter's** - November 02, 2008 at 06:13 PM

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“ Dear April and family,  
I am so sorry for your family. John was a wonderful man, and so good to everyone he met. He spent a lot of time at my house when I was married to Jimmy. He was a wonderful friend to us. One morning after he had spent the night with us, I woke up to find him standing beside our bed with a tray in his hand and a smile on his face. He said it was time for breakfast. That was the first time I had been served breakfast in bed. That was the kind of sweet and caring person he was.

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**Shirley Hamilton** - November 01, 2008 at 07:20 PM