



## Verne Strawser

February 7, 1975 - February 7, 2011

Verne Patrick Strawser, 36, of Milford, died at 3:11 p.m. Monday, Feb. 7, 2011, at Iroquois Memorial Hospital, Watseka.

He was born Feb. 26, 1974, in Danville, to Charles D. and Susan J. (Rutan) Strawser.

Surviving are sisters, Dawn (Craig) Morris of Hoopeston, Connie Strawser of Hoopeston and Margo (Randy) Schroeder of Rantoul; brothers, Charles Strawser of Hoopeston and John (Samantha) Strawser of Rosiclare. He also is survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

Verne will be sadly missed by his special best friends, Duane Allen and Matthew Goble, and his very special little buddy, Ayden Allen.

He was preceded in death by his father, grandparents and sister-in-law, Michelle Strawser.

Verne was a self-employed auto mechanic. He was a member of the Hoopeston Masonic Star Lodge Post 709. Verne enjoyed car shows, truck and tractor pulls, hunting mushrooms, picking asparagus and drinking beer with friends. He was always willing to help any and all who needed him.

Visitation: 4-8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 10, with Masonic rites accorded by the Hoopeston Star Lodge Post 709 at 7:45 p.m., at Anderson Funeral Home 427 E. Main St., Hoopeston.

Services: 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 11, at the funeral home. Officiating: Pastor Bruce McQuigg.

Burial: Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston.

Memorials may be made to the family c/o Anderson Funeral Home 427 E. Main St., Hoopeston, IL 60942.