



Donald Peterson

August 29, 1954 - August 2, 2009

Donald R. Peterson, age 54, of Crown Point, IN, passed away on Sunday, August 2, 2009.

Don ran away from home at the age of 17 to join the Circus and he worked with big cats & elephants. He drove a truck for 20 years, he worked at Gary Screw & Bolt for 11 years, and Midwest Companies for 3 years. He was preceded in death by his father, Richard Peterson and brothers, Drew and Dale.

He is survived by his Wife, Beverly (nee Mills) Peterson; 2 sons, Corey and Kevin Peterson; and daughter, Christine (Dave) Sackenheim; Mother, Dixie Peterson; sisters, Diane (Dave) Williams, Drenda (Dave) Thomas and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Friends may visit with the family on Wednesday, August 5, 2009 from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN followed by funeral service at 7:00 p.m. with Pastor Ryan Gilroy officiating. Service will terminate at the funeral home with cremation at the Burns Funeral Home Crematory.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Southlake Christian Church, 501 Pratt Street, Crown Point, IN 46307