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James R. Williams, 83

James R. Williams, 83, of Clarksburg, Mo. died Wednesday, September 22, 1999 at Capital Region Medical Center in Jefferson City. Services will be held 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, September 25, 1999 at the Bowlin-Cantriel Funeral Chapel in California, Mo. with Rev. Ivan Dameron and Rev. Peter Kurowski officiating. Visitation will be on Friday, Sept. 24, 1999, from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be in Hickman Cemetery V near Clarksburg.

James Williams was born July 8, 1916, in Cooper County, the son of George Franklin and Pearl Mae Albin Williams. They preceded him in death. He was married to Mathilda M. Rademann on March 2, 1947 in Lone Elm, Mo. She preceded him in death March 23, 1996. He was a lifetime livestock farmer. He was a member of the Missouri Farmer Association, Polled Hereford Association, and Red Angus Association.

Survivors include four brothers, Porter Williams of Boonville, G.F. Williams of Cheyenne, Wyo., Paul Williams of Bay City, Mich., and Victor Williams of Bunceton; three sisters, Ada Harris of Sedalia, Alma Baughman of Boonville, and Eula Fairfield of Fairfax, Va.; and three granddaughters.

He was preceded in death by his brother, George Lee Williams.

Memorials are suggested to Hickman Cemetery Fund, Box 124, California, Mo. 65018, or to a charity of the donors' choice.