



## Gerald DeVries

December 26, 1933 - March 7, 2008

Gerald DeVries -- St. Anne Gerald "Jerry" DeVries, 74, of St. Anne, died Friday (March 7, 2008) at Riverside Medical Center, Kankakee, after a short illness. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday, and from 10 a.m. Tuesday until the 11 a.m. services at the Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home in St. Anne. Burial will be in Oakwood Cemetery, Wichert. Memorials may be made to the donor's choice. Mr. DeVries was retired from Armstrong and was a lifelong farmer in St. Anne. He was born Dec. 26, 1933, in St. Anne, the son of George and Nellie Salm DeVries. His wife, the former Lois Despain, whom he married June 29, 1974, in St. Anne, died Nov. 29, 1992. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army from 1954 to 1956. He was of the Protestant faith. He was a member of the Farm Bureau and a former member of the Corvette Club. He loved animals and watched NASCAR racing. Surviving are two sisters and two brothers-in-law, Cornelia Flynn of Largo, Fla., Judy and Jim Hudson of St. Anne, Elvy Doehring of Naples, Fla.; one stepgranddaughter, Sarah Martin of Attica, Ind.; 11 nieces and nephews; 20 great-nieces and great-nephews; and two great-great-nieces. Deceased are one sister, Nellie Mae Doehring; and one great-niece, Julie VanVleck.

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