

Hollis J. Baebler

MONTICELLO — Hollis J. Baebler, age 71, of Monticello, a long time Green County electrician, died unexpectedly on Thursday, August 30, 2001 at his home.

Hollis was born August 26, 1930 in Mt. Pleasant Township, Green County, Wisconsin, the son of John H. and Lydia (Schlittler) Baebler. He graduated from Monticello High School in 1948 and married Shirley Rosheisen on February 16, 1951 at the Bethlehem Church in Brodhead. Hollis farmed in Mt. Pleasant Township until establishing Baebler Electric in 1973.

He was a member of Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello; Monticello F.F.A. Alumni; a former member of the Monticello Fire Department; and had served as clerk and supervisor on the Mt. Pleasant Township Board. Hollis was a die-hard Chicago Cubs fan and enjoyed his morning coffee and pool games.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley; three children: Holly Miller of Rib Lake; John J. (Kathleen) Baebler; and Rick Baebler, all of Monticello; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Irma Marty on January 10, 2001.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, September 4, 2001, at 11:00 am, at the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello, with Rev. Lawrence Balleine and Rev. Mary Gafner officiating. Interment will be in Highland Cemetery, Monticello. Friends may call at the VOEGEL-NEWCOMER FUNERAL HOME, Monticello, on Monday from 4:00 pm. until 8:00 pm. and at the church on Tuesday from 10:00 am. until the time of service. A memorial fund will be established in Hollis' name.

