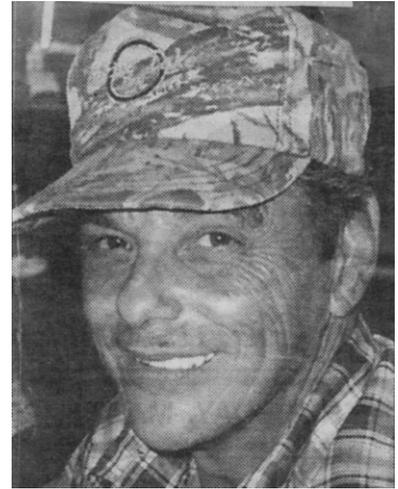


ROBERT MELVIN WITTENWYLER

Robert Melvin Wittenwyler, age 59, of Albany, formerly of Monticello, died on Tuesday, May 9, 2006 at his home.

Robert was born in Monroe, WI on October 28, 1946, the son of the late Jacob and Rose (Blumer) Wittenwyler of Monticello. He graduated from Monticello High School in 1964. He was an avid hunter, fisherman, card player, and sports enthusiast, which included archery, bowling, and playing slow pitch. He was a Badger and Packer fan, a member of the Albany Wagon Train Organization, and a charter member of the Marshall Bluff Bowhunters. Robert was a farrier by trade, but was also passionate about raising, riding, training, racing, and showing horses.



Robert is survived by his wife, Shona Wittenwyler of Albany. They were united in marriage on August 21, 2002. Other survivors include two daughters, Amy Jean (Ken) Vaughan of Cadiz, KY, and Jill Renee (Dean) Starkey of Gilbert, AZ; two step-daughters, Karrin and Kirsten Sweeney of Janesville; four adoring grandchildren, Trace (10) and Reid (8) Kuberski, and Garrett (12) and Taylor Rose (4) Starkey; a sister, Rosemary (Don) Avery of Monticello; uncle Julius (Ida) Blumer of Monroe; niece, Dona (Jeff) Booth of Hanover, MA; nephew, Michael (Jodi) Avery of Appleton; three great-nephews and many cousins.

A memorial service was held on Saturday, May 13, 2006, at Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances can be sent to the Monticello Scholarship Fund at the Bank of Monticello, 238 N. Main Street, Monticello, WI. 53570, The Albany Wagon Train, or in care of Shona Wittenwyler, 602 W. Main St., Albany, WI. 53502. The Voegeli-Newcomer Funeral Home. Monticello assisted the family.