

JOHN C. "JACK" URBEC

1938-2008

MISSOURI: Jack Urbec, 69, a retired builder, died Sunday, May 25, 2008 in Springfield, Missouri, after a courageous fight with cancer.

Jack was born in Worcester, Massachusetts, on October 6, 1938, to John G. and Sophie Mierzejewski Urbec. Jack married Jan Pinkerton, of Decatur and they made their home in Branson, Missouri since 1991. He retired from commercial building in 2006, and spent the last 9 years of his career building 11 Bass Pro Shops retail stores across the United States and Canada.

Jack was a member of Branson Hills Assembly and also served as president of the Branson area Christian Businessmen's Fellowship. He was treasurer of the Board of Directors of Developmental Connections which provided services to people with disabilities. Jack had a passion for his Lord, his family, his work as

well as the sports of hunting and fishing. Jack was preceded in death by his parents and his beloved father-in-law, J. W. Pinkerton.

Survivors include his wife, Jan; sons, Craig and Zackerie; daughters, Hillary Urbec, Christie Lay and Angela Hartland; grandson, Skyler Urbec; granddaughter, Kendal Lay; sisters, Elizabeth Urbec, Clara Urbec, and Martha Heirtzler; brother, James Urbec; numerous nieces and nephews.

Graveside service was held Saturday, May 31st at Oaklawn Cemetery in Decatur. Brother Bill Hughes officiated.

The family requests memorials be made to the Church Army Branson, P.O. Box 6224, Branson, Missouri 65615 or Camp Barnabas, Rt. 2, Box 131, Purdy, Missouri 65734.

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