



Keith D. Prowant

June 20, 1964 - August 21, 2008

Keith D. Prowant, 44, of St. Marys, OH, died 7:00 a.m., Thurs. Aug. 21, 2008, at V.A. Medical Center, Dayton, OH, following a recent struggle with cancer. ♦ He was born June 20, 1964, in Bowling Green, OH, the son of John C. & Ethel (Wade) Prowant, Jr. ♦ His mother, Ethel Shawver survives in Defiance, OH, and his father is deceased. ♦ On Oct. 2, 2007, he married Millisa S. "Missy" Rostorfer, and she survives.

Other survivors include, a sister, Cathy (Mike) Wellons, Wapakoneta, 3 nieces, Kylee, Kara, & Kiersten Wellons, mother-in-law, Laurie (Jon) Cottrell, Ft. Shawnee, OH, a sister-in-law, Chrissy Rostorfer, Wapakoneta, several aunts & uncles.

Mr. Prowant was a cook by trade, and a salesman with Tom Ahl Hyundai, Lima. ♦ He had also owned and operated the Cottage Charm Caf ♦, Wapakoneta. ♦ A member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Defiance, he was also a member of the Fraternal Order of the Eagles, Aerie #691, Wapakoneta. ♦ He was a 1982 graduate of Defiance High School, and served in the U.S. Navy for 4 years and the Navy Reserves for 19 years. ♦ His hobbies included cooking, sailing, windsurfing, and country line dancing. Funeral services will be 1:30 p.m., Mon. Aug. 25, 2008, at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, Pastor Gary Bragg officiating. ♦ Burial is to follow in the Greenlawn Cemetery, Wapakoneta, where military rites will be conducted by the Wapakoneta V.F.W. ♦ The family will receive friends 2-8 p.m., Sun. at the funeral home. ♦ Memorials may be directed to

the charity of the donor's choice.