

## **Mr. Eckes**

John Henry Eckes, 78, of the Iotla Community, died Monday, July 26, in Angel Community Hospital after a period of declining health. He was a native of Manhattan, N.Y., the son of the late John and Barbara Zang Eckes, and was married to Ruby Skaggs Eckes, who survives. He was a retired service station operator and a member of St. Francis Catholic Church.

In addition to his wife he is survived by a step-daughter, Carolyn Boyd, of Shaw, Ohio; two sisters, Barbara Oleary, of Bronx, N.Y., and Catherine Bose, of Cooperstown, N.Y.; and two step-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, Aug. 7, at 10 a.m. at St. Francis Catholic Church, conducted by Father Mike Langel.

Memorials may be made to St. Francis Catholic Church Building Fund.

Bryant Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.