

Francis W. Dorbert, (25 Oct 1935 – 22 Mar 2009), Perry County Times, Thursday, 2 April 2, 2009

Francis W. "Frank" Dorbert, 73, of Juniata Twp., Newport, died Sunday, March 22, 2009 in Harrisburg Hospital, and was a donor to Gift of Life.

He was born Oct. 25, 1935 in Baltimore, Md., to the late **Francis X.** and **Mary Hazel (Rupley) Dorbert Way**.

He retired from Bethlehem Steel; was a Navy veteran during the Korean War; a member of Newport VFW Post 34, Newport American Legion Post 177 and Millerstown Moose 925; and enjoyed woodworking, hunting and fishing, and after retiring, baking, cooking and playing bingo.

Surviving are his wife, **Betty (Asper) Dorbert**; three children, **Pamela J. Robb** of New Bloomfield and **Frank K.** and **Douglas A.**, both of Newport; a brother, Harry S. Hamilton Jr. of Duncannon; nine grandchildren, **Samuel** and **Lucas Miller**, **Nora Robb**, and **Rebecca**, **Jacob**, **Rachel**, **Cody**, **Derek** and **Angel Dorbert**; and a great-grandson, **Zadoc Atwood**.

He was preceded in death by a sister, **Mary Ann Stephens**; a nephew, **Tony Stephens**; and three stepsiblings, **Maynard** and **Earl Hamilton** and **Ruth Franklin**.

A memorial service was held March 28 in Newport First Church of God with Pastor William Baney officiating.

Burial was in Wila Cemetery.

David M. Myers Funeral Home, Newport, handled arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be made to Newport Fire Company, 301 Mulberry St., Newport 17074, New Bloomfield Fire Company, P.O. Box 22, New Bloomfield 17068, or American Lung Association, 3001 Old Gettysburg Road, Camp Hill 17011.