Donald R. Gruver

Donald R. Gruver, 67, of Jackson Summit, Pa., passed away peacefully at his home on Dec. 30, after a short illness.

He worked in the production department of M&M/MARS before his retirement.

His hobby was raising Black Angus beef cattle and traveling.

He was an avid hunter and fisherman who loved the outdoors.

Survivors include his loving wife of 47 years, Betty Johnson Gruver, his daughter and son-inlaw, Donna (David) Krauss of Blairstown; a son and daughterin-law, Thomas (Colleen) Gruver of Jackson Summit, Pa.; five beautiful grandchildren that he adored, Stacey, Bryan, Mitchell, Jacob, and Cole; two sisters, Helen Smith of Hackettstown and Florence Osborne of Crystal River, Florida; a brother, Harry Gruver of Hackettstown; and many other relatives and friends.

A memorial service was held at Newbaker Funeral Home in Blairstown with Rev. Jack Kroeze officiating.

Arrangements were conducted by the Olthof Funeral Home in Elmira, N.Y.

Memorial donations may be sent to the Millerton United Methodist Church, Route 328, Millerton, Pa. 16936.

Those wishing may leave a "Candle of Remembrance" for the family at www.olthof.com.

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