

Cottrell, Donald

Donald Cottrell, 66, of Port Austin and formerly of Flint, died Tuesday, Feb. 19, 2002, at Lakeland Regional Medical Center in Lakeland, Fla. Donald was born on Feb. 20, 1935, in Flint, the son of George and Elizabeth (Hildebrand) Cottrell. He retired from General Motors SPO in June 1992. He was very involved with his popcorn wagons and parade characters. He is survived by his wife, Shirley; children, Sherri Richards and her husband, Dr. William H., Donald F. Cottrell and his wife, Lesa; seven grandchildren, Heather, Ryan, Kristi, Colleen, Emily, Gina and Vincent; sisters, Catherine Ross and Margaret Hintz; brother, William Cottrell; special companion, Skye; special friends, Mark and Lia Murray and Lavonne Watson; several nieces and nephews. Mr. Cottrell was preceded in death by his daughter, Vicki Ann Musa. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Monday, Feb. 25, 2002, at Sharp Funeral Homes, Miller Road Chapel, 8138 Miller Road in Swartz Creek. Entombment will be in Sunset Hills Cemetery. Visitation is from 1 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home. Online condolences may be made at www.sharpfuneralhomes.com. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.