

Merle Cotton

KENOSHA — Funeral services were held Saturday in Kenosha for Merle Cotton, 62, of Kenosha and formerly of Eagle and Eagle Springs Lake. He died at his home Wednesday after a short illness.

He was employed at the Kenosha Transport Co. until his retirement four years ago.

He is survived by his wife Clarissa; sisters and half-sister Mrs. Shirly Osborne of Eagle, Mrs. Hazel Demos of Kenosha, MRS. Leona Rudolph of Palmyra and Mrs. Rutaltowle of Kenosha.

Hospital after a long illness.

He was a retired gardener in Waukesha County.

He is survived by his wife Beatrice; son James of Brown Deer; daughter Florence Faust of Milwaukee; sister Mrs. Myrtle Hendgner of Iowa and brother William of Iowa.

Complete funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Kurtz Funeral Home, Hartland, with the Rev. James Manes officiating. Friends may call at the funeral home between 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Thursday evening. Burial will be in the Hartland Village Cemetery.