David A. Gordon

April 8, 2007

David A. Gordon, 65, departed this life on April 8, 2007, at St. Vincent Mercy Medical Center. A native of Curtice, Ohio, he moved to Toledo with his family and resided there for many years. David also lived in Michigan for a number of years. He graduated from Jesus W. Scott High School in 1959. David was a truck driver of 'big rigs' for many years. He spent twelve years with Landstar Ranger, and a brief time with Roehl Transportation. He joined the Elks Pride of Michigan #875 in December 1991. He was also a Past Grand Exalted Ruler with this lodge. David was the proprietor of The Bourbon Street Show Bar, The Shadow Box Lounge, and The New Edition Lounge. He also co-owned The Toledo Underground and A&D Transport with his brother, Arthur Gordon. David enjoyed camping, fishing and casino gaming. He was preceded in death by his parents, Arthur Sr. and Eura Gordon; three brothers, Arthur Gordon Jr., Rev. William Gordon and Rev. Donald Gordon; three sisters, Jeanette Hollingsworth, Deanna (Robert) Quinn and Debbie Gordon; one son, Roger 'Rocky' Gordon and best friend, Edgar Jacobs Jr. He leaves to cherish his memories, wife, Joycelyn Gordon; sons, Kevin (Jackie), Ronald (Katrina), Derrick (Angela), Robert, William, Julian and James; daughters, Dana, Taunya, Verleen, Trina and Kimyatta; one sister, Marion (George) Blue of Sacramento, CA; thirty-four grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; special sons, DaJuan, Raymond, and Eunis; special daughter, Crystal; a host of other relatives and friends. Visitation will be Thursday 3 - 6 p.m. Dale-Riggs Funeral Home Chapel, wake services Friday 11:00 a.m. followed by Funeral

services at 12:00 noon, Friendship Baptist Church, Bishop Duane C. Tisdale, Officiant. Arrangements entrusted to Dale-Riggs Funeral Home. www.dalefh.com