

Gale Bruce Cowan

Gale Bruce Cowan was born on September 20, 1948 and died on January 24, 2009 at the age of 60. Gale last resided in Evansville, Vanderburgh County, Indiana.

Gale Bruce Cowan, 60, Evansville, formerly of Union County, died at 1:25 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 24, 2009, at the VNA Charlier Hospice Center in Evansville.

Survivors include two daughters, Stephanie Mosley of Dekoven, Ky., and Samantha Cowan of Pennsylvania; his mother, Mildred Pease of Harrisburg, Ill.; his father, John Cowan of Pride, Ky.; two sisters, Rose Hess of Morganfield and Sherri Gwaltney of Norris City, Ill.; three brothers, John Courtney of Evansville, Ricky Wayne Cowan of Harrisburg and Dale Courtney of Equality, Ill.; and six grandchildren.

Services were held at Whitsell Funeral Home in Morganfield. Brother Don Ewell officiated. Burial was in Odd Fellows Cemetery in Morganfield.

Gale B "Bruce" Cowan served with the elite Short Range Ambush Platoon in Vietnam in 1969. He was assigned to Company A, 1st Battalion (Mechanized), 50th Infantry, attached to the 173rd Airborne Brigade.

