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He married Marcella Hardin on Aug. 7, 1978. She survives at the home.

Mr. Buffington was employed at Jayhawk Fine Chemical for 26 years.

Additional survivors include three sons, Don Hardin of Chicago, Jason Buffington of Pittsburg, Brian Blasor of Augusta, Ga.; one daughter, Kimberly Buffington, of Pittsburg; four brothers, Alvin Buffington of Weir, Rick Buffington of Girard, Mike Buffington of Parsons, Russell Buffington of Carl Junction, Mo.; four sisters, Pat Hansen of Augusta, Ga., Lynn Giordano of Frontenac, Jean O'Donnell of Topeka, and Jo Peterson of Wichita; two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers John, Ed and David Buffington.

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