

Kentucky Post - June 25, 1979

Ex-clerk found dead of gun wound

A retired postal clerk was found dead by his wife in the kitchen of his Park Hills home Friday afternoon from a gunshot wound.

Joseph F. Bresser, 63, of 523 St. Joseph Ln., was announced dead at 5 p.m. by Kenton County Coroner Dr. Robert Reichert, who said Bresser shot himself once in the head with a 12-gauge shotgun.

Deputy Kenton County Jailor Jack Kerns, a neighbor of Bresser, said he was sitting in his kitchen at 4:45 p.m. when he heard a noise from Bresser's house that sounded like a shot.



Joseph Bresser

Bresser's widow, Dorothy, found her husband when she returned home from shopping.

She said her husband had been despondent after retiring from his job as a Covington Postoffice clerk in August, 1978.

Kerns said Bresser was a good neighbor but never spoke much. Park Hills Police said Bresser left no note.

Other survivors: son Wayne J., at home; mother Mrs. Mary Bresser, Covington; sister Mrs. Lucille Piera, Agoura, Cal.

Mass Christian Burial 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, St. Agnes Church, Park Hills. Visitation 8-9 a.m. Tuesday, Middendorf, Covington. Burial Mother of God Cemetery, Covington.

Bresser, Joseph F 1915 - 1979



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"We have loved him during life,
let us not forget him in death."
—St. Ambrose.

Jesus! Mary! Joseph!

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IN LOVING MEMORY
OF
JOSEPH F. BRESSER

Born in Covington, Kentucky, on
October 17, 1915, and departed this
life in Park Hills, Kentucky, on
June 22, 1979, after receiving the
Last Sacraments of the Church.

PRAYER:
O gentlest Heart of Jesus, ever
present in the Blessed Sacrament,
ever consumed with burning love for
the poor captive souls in Purgatory,
have mercy on the soul of Thy
servant **JOSEPH F.**, bring him
from the shadows of exile to the
bright home of Heaven, where, we
trust, Thou and Thy Blessed Mother
have woven for him a crown of un-
fading glory. Amen.

Our Father. Hail Mary.
Sweet Heart of Jesus, be my love.
—300 days indulgence.

Alma