Apolonio A. Avalos, Jr. 1953 – 1999

Apolonio Antonio "Chino" Avalos, Jr., age 46 of Pigeon, passed away Saturday, July 3 at St. Mary's in Saginaw following a 2½ year battle with cancer.

He was born in Hebbronville, Texas in July 1, 1953, the son of Apolonio A., Sr. and Ella (Cantu) Avalos. He was a 1973 Laker High School graduate and had attended Ferris State University.

His survivors include his parents, Apolonio, Sr. and Ella Avalos; five brothers and three sisters: Mary and Armando Guardian, Jesse and Mary Avalos, Juan Avalos, Mary and Gene Schulze, Joe and Sylvia Avalos, Joel and Lisa Avalos, Esther and Jeff Hill, and Raul Avalos, all of Pigeon; several nieces and nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews, and cousins. He was preceded in death by a sister, Juanita Avalos.

Funeral Services will be conducted at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 7 from the Salem United Methodist Church, Pigeon, with Rev. Calvin Long, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Winsor Township.

Memorials may be made to the family or the American Cancer Society.