

JOHN GRANT DUTCHER

1927 - 1984

John Grant Dutcher, age 57, of Bay Port passed away Tuesday, April 17 at VA Medical Center, Saginaw.

He was born Jan. 22, 1927 in Bay Port, son of the late John and Mary (Lambert) Dutcher. On Oct. 16, 1948 he was united in marriage to Rhea M. Deering in Bay Port. He was a member of the Bay Port Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, a WW-II army veteran, and a member of American Legion Steele-Lambert Post #533, Bay Port.

Mr. Dutcher is survived by his wife, Rhea M.; one son, Kim G. Dutcher of Haslett; three daughters, Rena K. Helms, Gwen D. and Patti M., all of Bay Port; three grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Albert (June) Licht of Bad Axe, Mrs. Lyle (Jeanne) Guenther of Caro and Mrs. Robert (Sara Jane) Sprague of Bay Port; two brothers, Robert Dutcher of Pittsburgh, Pa. and Jerry Dutcher of Sebewaing.

A daughter Angela preceded him in death in 1961.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, April 20 at 11 a.m. from the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. The Elders Harold Corliss and Terry Brown will officiate with burial in New Bay Port Cemetery.