Leiterman, Peter J.

Peter J. Leiterman, 82, of Unionville, died Sunday, October 30, 2005, at Bay Shores Nursing Center in Bay City following a lengthy illness. He was born February 25, 1923 in Bach, son of the late Peter and Anna (Keller) Leiterman. He was united in marriage to Julia June Retzler on May 10, 1947 in Sebewaing. She preceded him in death on July 1, 2005. Pete had been employed at Active Industries in Elkton for 30 years before retiring in 1985. He was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church in Sebewaing and a member of the Knights of Columbus, Council 8582. He was an avid golfer and loved to bowl. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. Surviving are two sons and one daughter, Peter M. (Marilyn) Leiterman, of Gloucester, Virginia, Donald (Laura) Leiterman, of Vassar, and Cheryl Heinitz and her fiance, Joseph Halasz, of Sebewaing; nine grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; seven sisters, Rose Kunst, of Detroit, Margaret (Everett) Finkbeiner, of Redford Township, Emma Mitts, and Marion Hamlin, of Bay City, Anna (Donald) Kothe, and Lillian (Donald) Retzler, all of Sebewaing, and Katherine Avery, of Reese; and one brother, John Leiterman, of Oscoda. He was preceded in death by three sisters, infants, Frances and Esther Leiterman, and Elizabeth Leiterman; and great-granddaughter, Emma Rockwell. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on Thursday, November 3, 2005, at Holy Family Catholic Church in Sebewaing. Fr. John Weis will preside with burial in the church cemetery. Visitation will be from 2 to 9 p.m. on Wednesday at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home in Sebewaing. He will lie in state from 10 a.m. until the time of service on Thursday at the church. The Knights of Columbus Council 8582 will conduct a rosary prayer at 7 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to American Heart Association.