Gerald C. Lenz 1926 – 1998

Gerald C. Lenz, age 72 of Pigeon (formerly of Roseville), passed away Wednesday, December 30 at his home.

He was born in Detroit on March 26, 1926, the son of the late Bernhardt and Sellie (Rankin) Lenz. On July 23, 1948 he was united in marriage to Katherine J. Powser in Detroit. She survives him.

Mr. Lenz served in the United States Navy in the Pacific Theatre during World War II. He was a telephone installer for Michigan Bell for 26 years, until his retirement in 1981. He was a member of the Circle J Squares, the Double J Squares, and the Town & Country Squares, calling square dances for the Roseville Recreation Department as well as at Cobo Hall in Detroit, in Canada, and the Thumb area.

His survivors include his wife, Katherine; a son and daughter-inlaw, Gerald B. and Brenda Lenz of Pigeon; two grandsons, Robert and David Nader of Pigeon; a great-grandson, Steven James; a sister, LaVerne Hawrys of Sebewaing; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a brother, Bernhardt Lenz.

Cremation has taken place. At the request of the family a private memorial committal service will take place at a later date in St. Roch Catholic Cemetery, Caseville.