

Bambach, Frank

Mr. Frank Bambach, 97, of Port Austin, passed away Sunday, March 5, 2006, at Courtney Manor. He was born March 4, 1909 in Pennsylvania to the late Nick and Elizabeth (Remsing) Bambach. He married Helen Schroth in May of 1942. She preceded him in death on February 9, 1982. He then married Theresa Osentoski on September 12, 1987. Frank was an honest gentleman. He loved nature, the trees, and all the animals that God created. In 1939, he opened a general mechanic business in Pinnebog, which he owned for 30 years. He was a member of Senior Citizens and St. Michael's Catholic Church in Port Austin. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, gardening, and visiting with family and friends. He is survived by his wife, Theresa, of Bad Axe; two sons, Franklin (Jane) Bambach, of New Hampshire, and Nick (Sandra), of Iowa; four step-children, Brian (Heather) Adams, of Detroit, Laura Adams, of Detroit, Beatrice (Eugene) Boggess, of Eastpointe, and Jeanne (Brian) Craig, of Potterville; seven step-grandchildren, Drew Adams, Brooke Adams, Tarina (Russ) Myris, Melissa (Dan) Johnson, Kyle Craig, Stephanie Craig, and Andrew Craig; two step-great-grandchildren, Dillon and Emily Johnson; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by five brothers, Nickolas, John, Jacob, Anthony, and William; and six sisters, Sophie, Elizabeth, Kate, Magdalene, Susan, and Theresa. Funeral services will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, March 8, 2006, at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Port Austin. Fr. Rob Paré will preside. Visitation will be from 2 to 9 p.m. today at MacAlpine Funeral Home, Gage Chapel, in Kinde, and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Wednesday at the church. A rosary service will take place at 7:30 p.m. today at the funeral home. Burial will be in St. Felix Cemetery at a later date.