

CORNELIUS (NEIL) E. SMITH

1918-1990

Cornelius E. Smith, age 72 of Pigeon, passed away on Wednesday, May 9 at Huron Memorial Hospital, Bad Axe.

He was born April 6, 1918 in Bad Axe, son of the late Frank and Mabel (Anderson) Smith. He was united in marriage to Dorothy M. Fritz on April 13, 1946 in Flint. He was a World War II Army Air Corps veteran, life member of Top of the Thumb VFW Post 2236, Pigeon, a member of Salem United Methodist Church and retired from Pigeon Coop Elevator.

Mr. Smith is survived by his wife, Dorothy M. of Pigeon; one daughter, Mrs. George (Beverly) McIlbargie of Flint; three sons, Elwood J., Fritz D. and Douglas N. Smith all of Pigeon; 12 grandchildren; one brother, Allen Smith of Marine City.

A son, Frank Smith, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were conducted on Saturday, May 12 at 11 a.m. from Salem United Methodist Church, Pigeon. Rev. Timothy Hastings officiated with burial in Caseville Cemetery.

Memorials may be given to Salem United Methodist Church, Barrier Free Entry Fund or Parkinson's Foundation.

Funeral arrangements were made by Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.