

Rogers, Charles

Charles E. Rogers, 78, of Harbor Beach passed away Monday, April 22, 2002, at his home with hospice care after a short illness. Born on May 20, 1923, in Port Huron, he was the son of the late John and Mable (Dunn) Rogers. Charles and Betty Teeple were united in marriage on Oct. 12, 1946, in Port Huron. She preceded him in death on Sept. 11, 1999. He was a retired employee of the Detroit Edison Co., retiring in 1985 after working for 40 years. Charles served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a life member of the VFW Post No. 9344 in Harbor Beach. Charles is survived by his children, Richard Rogers and his wife, Dorothy, of Fort Meyers, Fla., James Rogers and his wife, Deb, of Ortonville and Betty Cookson of Lawrenceville, Ga.; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Phyllis Banning of Nevada, June Beauchemin and her husband, Donald, of Port Huron and Marcia Sue Boettner and her husband, Gerald, of Marysville. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Mary Ellen Rogers, in 1979; a brother, Chester Rogers; and three sisters, Zoretta Earl, Marvel Davis and Ila Wehner. Funeral services will take place at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 24, 2002, in the Ramsey Funeral Home in Harbor Beach with the Rev. Clarence VanConant, pastor of the United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will be in the Rock Falls Cemetery with the military service conducted by the VFW Post of Harbor Beach. Visitation will be 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. today and from 10 a.m. until the time of services Wednesday at the funeral home.