

## **Thrushman, Roland**

Roland "Slim" Thrushman, 76, of Port Austin, died Friday, December 24, 2004, at the Huron County Medical Care Facility in Bad Axe. He was born October 18, 1928 to the late Barney and Lillian (Beggs) Thrushman near Huron City. He was united in marriage to Helen Stummer on February 5, 1955 at Olivet Presbyterian Church, Detroit. Mr. Thrushman was employed as a carpenter foreman for 35 years. He was a member of the Port Austin Conservation Club. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, cards, and gardening. Slim especially loved his family and life in general. He is survived by his wife, Helen Thrushman, of Port Austin; one son, Michael Thrushman and his wife, Mary, of Bad Axe; three daughters, Nancy Felts and her husband, George, of Ferndale, Kathy Klastorin and her husband, Bruce, of Ambler, Pennsylvania, and Susan Gauthier and her husband, Philip, of Togo, Minnesota; three brothers, Chuck Thrushman and his wife, Loretta, of Port Huron, Barney Thrushman and his wife, Gertrude, of Marysville, Leland Thrushman and his wife, Virginia, of Royal Oak; six sisters, Iva Maynard, of Harbor Beach, Violet Julka and her husband, Walt, of New Port Richey, Florida, Ann Schubring and her husband, Barney, of Port Hope, Clara Koglin and her husband, Frank, of Lake Havasu City, Arizona, Eleanor Nowiski and her husband, Erwin, of Bayonet Point, Florida, and Mary Ellen Odoerfer and her husband, Barney, of Macombe; one sister-in-law, Ilene Thrushman, of Grindstone City; seven grandchildren, Clayton Gauthier, Kyle Thrushman, Reed Thrushman, Kari Fabyan, Angela Fabyan, Chad Felts and Kristin Felts; one great-grandchild, Hannah Felts. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Glen Thrushman, and William Thrushman, and a sister, Pearl Thrushman. Services will be conducted at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, December 28, 2004, at the MacAlpine Funeral Home-Gage Chapel in Kinde. Officiating will be the Rev. Greg Eilers, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, Port Hope. Visitation will be from 2 to 9 p.m. today and from 9 a.m. until the time of service on Tuesday at the funeral home. Burial will be at New River Cemetery, Port Austin. Memorials may be offered to Heartland Hospice of Bad Axe or the Huron County Medical Care Facility.