

Rogers, Austin

Austin Rogers, 90, of Pigeon, passed away Thursday, March 5, 2009 at Home Sweet Home in Pigeon.

Born in Bad Axe on June 11, 1918, he was the son of the late Sterling and Katherine (Koch) Rogers. Austin served 1942-1946 with the United States Army in Portugal during World War II. On Oct. 30, 1957 he was united in marriage to Florence E. Limberger in Barton City. She preceded him in death on Feb. 6, 2000.

Austin worked in the Detroit area during his working career, retiring in the 1960's. He was a faithful member of the Salem United Methodist Church in Pigeon, often serving as greeter and usher.

He is survived by a sister, Dorothy McGregor; and a brother, Donald Rogers, both of the Glennie area; a sister-in-law, Donna Limberger of Pigeon; and nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Arthur and Roy.

Funeral service will be conducted at 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 8, 2009 at the Salem United Methodist Church, Pigeon, with the Rev. Michael T. Sawicki, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Grandlawn Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 1 p.m. until the service time at 3 p.m. on Sunday at Salem United Methodist Church.

Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon, is conducting the arrangements.