

HOWARD C. MURDOCH

1918 - 1994

Howard Clare Murdoch, 75 of Caseville, passed away Monday, March 14 at his winter home in Sebastian, FL after a long illness.

He was born April 13, 1918 in Bay Port, son of the late Preston and Delsy (Hollecker) Murdoch. He married Ora Belle Beck at the Evangelical Church parsonage in Sebawaing.

Mr. Murdoch lived in Huron County all of his life and was a graduate of Bay Port High School. He farmed in McKinley and Winzor Townships until he retired in 1984.

He was a member of the Caseville Rod & Gun Club and the Caseville F.O.E.

Surviving are his wife, Ora Belle; two sons, James (Kathy) Murdoch and Larry (Nina) Murdoch, all of Caseville; four daughters, Mrs. Bill (Marlyn) Crane and Mrs. Carl (Barbara) Weigle, both of Seginaw, Mrs. Lindsay (Connie) Abraham of Sutton, WV and Mrs. Dennis (Beverly) Herford of Pigeon; 18 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by four brothers, Preston Jr., John, Bruce and Gerald.

A memorial service was held Saturday, March 19 at Hayes United Methodist Church of Pigeon. The Rev. Douglas Laffer, pastor, officiated with burial in the Caseville Twp. Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hayes United Methodist Church or the American Cancer Society.

Funeral arrangements were handled by the Champagne Funeral Chapel, Caseville.