

Lupp, Joseph

Joseph Lupp, 83, of Sebewaing, died at his home Monday morning, June 28, 2004. He was born May 21, 1921 in Sebewaing at the home of his parents, the late Steven and Anna (Zimmer) Lupp. At the age of 16, he began his working career at the John C. Liken Company unloading coal. He then went to the Michigan Sugar Company until he was 21. He joined the Army Medical Corp attached to the Air Force during World War II. On May 11, 1944, he was united in marriage to LeEtta Henne in La Junta, Colorado. They returned to Sebewaing after his discharge in 1946. At that time he became employed at the Pierre Marquarite Railroad that later became the C & O, retiring in May of 1982. His wife LeEtta preceded him in death on February 12, 1995. Joe was a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church, Sebewaing, and the Sebewaing American Legion Post No. 293. He was known for his wonderful sense of humor and perpetual smile. He enjoyed fishing whenever possible and playing cards on a daily basis with his buddies. He is survived by his daughter, Joanne Bach and her husband, Bruce, of Sebewaing; three grandsons, Brian Bach and his wife, Marjorie, of Essexville, Rodney Bach and his wife, Karla, and Derek Bach, both of Sebewaing; three great-grandchildren, Brent, Ethan and Noah; his brother, Samuel Lupp, his wife, Marie, of Sebewaing; and his sister, Frances Burghardt, of Midland. Preceding him in death were two brothers, Adam and Herman Lupp. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, June 30, 2004, at the Trinity United Methodist Church. The Rev. Ray McGee, pastor, will officiate with burial in Memorial Park Cemetery, Sebewaing. Visitation will be from 3 to 9 p.m. today at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebewaing, and after 10 a.m. on Wednesday at the church. Memorials may be given to his church or the donor's choice.