Lackowski, LaVern I.

LaVern "Vern" Ira Lackowski, 74, of Port Hope died Sunday, Dec. 14, 2008 at home with his family.

LaVern was born March 23, 1934 to Ira and Agnes (Ertman) Lackowski in Detroit. He served his country in the Army and worked as a General Foreman at Detroit Power. He has resided the last 15 years at Port Hope. He married Lynne Maiers on May 3, 2003 in Mayville. LaVern's special interests were hunting, oil painting, and dogs.

He is survived by his wife, Lynne; and step-children, Karmon, Tenille, Brent, Susan, Charlotte and Connie: brother, Jim (Marilyn) Lackowski: sisters. Delores Heib and Virginia Bacci.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Jeanette; and a brother, Richard.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 17, 2008 at the Avram Funeral Home in Mayville with Pastor Bob Jones of Scottville officiating. Interment will take place at New River Cemetery of Port Austin at 3 p.m. with Military Honors conducted.

Family will receive visitors from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday and at 10 a.m. Wednesday until the time of the service at the Avram Funeral Home in Mayville.

Memorials may be made to the Family Fund.

Friends may share an online condolence at www.avramfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by Avram Funeral Home, 6028 Lincoln Street, P.O. Box 130, Mayville, MI 48744, (989) 843-5441.