

JOSEPH L. VERSCHOORE

1920-1994

Joseph L. Verschoore, 73, longtime Unionville area farmer and World War II Army veteran, died Saturday, Feb. 19, in Saginaw General Hospital, Saginaw, following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Bay City on Aug. 6, 1920. He was married to Madeline Vermeersch, on Feb. 8, 1943 in Unionville, and she survives him.

Mr. Verschoore farmed all his life in the Unionville Area, and he was a welder at DeFos Shipyard in Bay City for 22 winters.

During World War II he served in the US Army. He was a member of Unionville American Legion Post #421 and of Knights of Columbus Fr. Cahill Council. Mr. Verschoore was an avid golfer and bowler.

Surviving, besides his wife, Madeline, is one sister, Adrianna Hollobuyck of Fairgrove, and many in-laws, nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and two sisters.

Mass of Christian Burial will take place at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 23, at Holy Family Catholic Church of Sebawaing, with Rev. George Sarour officiating. Interment will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery, Unionville.

Visitation will be at Deisler Funeral Home, Unionville, on Tuesday (today) from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., and at Holy Family Church on Wednesday from 10 a.m. until time of Mass.

There will be a Prayer Service at 7 p.m. Tuesday (tonight) at the funeral home.

Those planning a memorial are invited to consider Holy Family Church or ACW Ambulance.