

Arquette, Joseph N.

Joseph Norman Arquette, 74, of Filion, died unexpectedly Monday, January 9, 2006, in his home. He was born December 5, 1931 in Chazy, New York to John and Hazel (Mousseau) Arquette. He married Shirley A. Schenk on December 3, 1955 in Detroit. Joseph served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was stationed in Okinawa and Korea. He met Shirley Ann Schenk, the sister of his friend, Paul C. Schenk. They were married and had seven children. Joseph worked at General Motors as a job setter and machine operator until 1978 when he suffered a heart attack causing his retirement. Joseph enjoyed turkey hunting, loved watching sports on television and spending time with his grandchildren. He was a big Detroit Red Wings fan. He attended Restoration Outreach Center in Caro. Joseph is survived by his wife, Shirley; children, John (Donna) Arquette, of Mayville, Charleen (Roger) Dennis, of Caro, Darlene (Andrew) Anderson, of Harrison Township, Deborah Burchett, of Warren, JoAnn (Mike) Furness, of Fort Campbell, Kentucky; grandchildren, Jessica (Bryan) Edgett, James (Kacey) Arquette, Joseph Arquette, Diane Reece, Kat Dennis, Samantha Dennis, Andrew Anderson Jr., Randi Anderson, Joseph Burchett, Connor Furness, Peyton Furness; great grandchildren, Morgan, Makayla, Joshua, Trinity; sisters, Irene (Louis) Ryback, Mary (Clifford) Hayes, and Olive Lamoy; brothers, Kermit Arquette, John Arquette; many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his infant twins, James Dean and Jane Marie, in 1961; son-in-law, Jerry Burchett, in 1999. A funeral service will be conducted at 1 p.m. on Thursday, January 12, 2006, at Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City with the Rev. Jerome Bouverette, of Restoration Outreach Center in Caro, officiating. Interment will be in St. Peter's Lutheran Cemetery in Bach with military honors under the direction of Cass City VFW Post No. 3644. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Family Discretionary Fund or Restoration Outreach Center. Family and friends may share memories, prayers, and stories with the family at www.kranzfuneralhome.com.