

Fuhrman, Gerald

Gerald A. Fuhrman, 81, lifelong Bloomfield Township farmer, passed away Thursday, May 30, 2002 at Huron Medical Center in Bad Axe. He was born Sept. 24, 1920, in Bloomfield Township, son of the late William and Ida (Kesterke) Fuhrman. He married Yvonne Rink on Dec. 12, 1981 in St. John Lutheran Church in Port Hope. In his youth he attended the Swayze School. He was a member of St. John Lutheran Church in Port Hope, the Port Hope Retirees, the Grindstone-Port Hope Sportsmen's Club, and the Caseville Eagles. He is survived by one son, Eric Gaebel; one sister-in-law, Darlene Rothe and her husband, Raymond, of Bad Axe; one brother-in-law, Wade Cohoon and his wife, Naomi, of Denver Col.; four nieces, Lynette Long and her husband, Rick, of Bad Axe, Vicki Williams and her husband, Chris, of Sebawaing, Kimberly Rothe of Bad Axe, and Elizabeth Marx of Denver; eight nephews, Raymond Rothe II and his wife, Jenny, of Bad Axe, Roger Rothe of Bay City, Wade Cohoon of Hartford, Wisc., and Peter, James, Timothy, Matthew, and Steven Cohoon of Denver; and several cousins. He was preceded in death by his twin brother, Arnold Fuhrman, and one sister, Lucille Fuhrman. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, June 6, 2002, at St. John Lutheran Church in Port Hope. The Rev. Gregory Eilers, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Marquardt Cemetery. Visitation is from 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, and 1-9 p.m. Wednesday at Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe, and from noon until the time of service Thursday at the church. Memorials may be offered to St. John Lutheran Church, St. John Hymnal Fund, or the Harbor Beach Ambulance.