

## **Longuski, Eugene**

Eugene Longuski, 79, of Cass City died peacefully in his sleep on Tuesday, April 30, 2002, in his home. He was born Nov. 18, 1922, to Bruno and Bernice (Braiza) Longuski in Detroit. He married Marion Winter on June 18, 1949, in the St. Columbkille Catholic Church Rectory. Eugene served in the U.S. Army in Europe during World War II. He was a carpenter for 15 years, then farmed, including 30 years of growing strawberries. Eugene was a musician years ago, playing violin, banjo and guitar. He loved music, especially bluegrass. Eugene was an animal lover and especially cared about his dogs. Eugene is survived by his wife, Marion; children, Dennis Longuski and his wife, Patsy, of Cass City and Daryl Longuski and his wife, Gayle, of Sterling Heights; grandchildren Robin Longuski, Dawn Longuski, Erin Shankie and Meghan Shankie; a brother, Jerome Longuski and his wife, Linda, of Bad Axe; sisters Gladys Pickering of Bad Axe, Florence Vogler of Bloomfield Hills and Eleanor Landra and her husband, Cyril, of Homosassa, Fla.; a brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Marvin Winter and his wife, Janice, of Cass City; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brother, Bruno Longuski Jr.; and brothers-in-law George Vogler and Warner "Tim" Pickering. Funeral services took place at 11 a.m. Friday, May 3, 2002, at Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City, with retired clergy, the Rev. Robert Garrett, officiating. Interment was in Elkland Township Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Sanilac County Humane Society or to the American Heart Association.