

Geyer, Henry

Henry "Hank" Geyer, 97, resident of Kinde, passed away on Saturday, May 8, 2004, at the Huron County Medical Care Facility while under hospice care. Henry was born September 12, 1906 in Meade Township to the late Max and Emma (Loss) Geyer. He married Evelyn Hunter on August 5, 1930 in Bowling Green, Ohio. Evelyn preceded Henry in death on February 14, 1986. Henry lived a long, active life and saw many changes in his 97 years. He sailed the Great Lakes and had numerous jobs in the Detroit area before moving back to Meade Township where he resided for the last 72 years. He farmed for many years while also working at the Huron County Road Commission. He helped build M-25 from Oak Beach to Caseville. He retired as shop foreman from the road commission in 1970. Henry was an avid fisherman, including ice fishing, and hunting. He was successful at turkey and deer hunting in 2003 at age 97. He also enjoyed telling stories and entertained his grandchildren and great-grandchildren with stories of his life experiences. He was a member of the Kinde First Presbyterian Church. Henry is survived by one son, Al Geyer, and his wife, Nancy, of Saginaw; four daughters, Dorothy Drummond and her husband, Lee, of Bad Axe, Lorraine Robinson, of Hope, Patricia Davis and her husband, Al, of Kinde, Diane Hyzer and her husband, David, of Bad Axe; one son-in-law, Bob Lindberg, of East Lansing; 16 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; one sister, Edna Haldane, of Bad Axe. He was preceded in death by his wife, Evelyn; one daughter, June Lindberg; one son-in-law, Frank Robinson; two granddaughters; one great-granddaughter; three brothers, Russ, Roy and Bill Geyer; two sisters, Mabel Reiker and Helen Brown; and a special friend, Elinor Wilson. Funeral Services will be at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, May 12, 2004, at the Kinde First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Larry McMellen officiating. Interment will be at the Colfax Cemetery Mausoleum. Visitation will be from 1 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday at the MacAlpine Funeral Home-Gage Chapel in Kinde and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Wednesday at the church. Memorials may be made to the Kinde First Presbyterian Church or the Heartland Hospice. A web tribute to Henry can be visited at www.macalpine.yourtribute.com/HenryGeyer.