

## **Power, Bryan**

Bryan J. Power, 80, of Caseville passed away Saturday morning, Aug. 3, 2002 at Huron Medical Center of Bad Axe. He was born Oct. 31, 1921 in Sydney, Nova Scotia, Canada. Bryan moved to Detroit in the mid-1920s with his parents, the late Michael and Winifred (McGillivray) Power. After high school he worked for TransWorld Airlines and then attended the University of Detroit two years before entering the Army Air Force. He served in the 490th Bomb Group in England during World War II, returning home in 1946. On Sept. 20, 1947, he was united in marriage to Carmen A. Casai at Presentation Catholic Church in Detroit. Mr. Power was employed at Ford Motor Co. in Detroit for 30 years, retiring as a traffic supervisor in 1978. In 1979, they moved to Caseville where they had been coming for many years. Bryan was an active member of St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon, a life member and past Grand Knight of Council 8042 Knights of Columbus, Caseville-Pigeon where he also served as Bingo chairman over 10 years. He was a life member of the Pigeon VFW #2235, a member of the 4th degree K of C Caro Assembly, Caseville Eagles Club and the 490th Bomb Group Association. He is survived by his wife, Carmen; two sons, Terry Power and his wife, Diane, of Brechenridge, Colo., Jim Power and his wife, Terry, of Eagan, Minn.; four grandchildren, Ryan, Taryn, Kelli and Troysen; a sister, Joan Frays of Saginaw. He was preceded in death by a sister, Constance. Funeral mass will take place at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 6, 2002 at St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon. Sr. Theresa Fox and Fr. George Suroir will officiate with military honors by the Pigeon VFW to follow outside the church. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. today and from 3 to 9 p.m. Monday at the Champagne Funeral Chapel, Caseville. A parish scripture service will be conducted at 6:30 p.m. followed by a K of C rosary at 7 p.m. Monday. Memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Association or Boysville. Words of condolence or tribute may be sent at [www.CFCcaseville.com](http://www.CFCcaseville.com)