

**Emerick, Jeffrey O.**

Jeffrey Oren Emerick, 51, of Bad Axe passed away Wednesday, April 8, 2009.

He was born July 9, 1957 in Harbor Beach, son of Oren and Pauline (Pionk) Emerick.

He married Brenda Cove on Sept. 30, 1978 in Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bad Axe.

Jeff served in the U.S. Navy from 1975 to 1978. He also was a member of the Sunday Pool League.

He is survived by his wife, Brenda (Cove) Emerick of Bad Axe; one daughter, Jennifer Emerick of Filion; father, Oren Emerick and friend, Mag, of St. Helen; mother, Pauline (Earl) Ginther of Port Hope; one granddaughter, Ashlyn Jodie of Filion; father and mother-in-law, Robert and Joann Cove of Bad Axe; two brothers, Matt Emerick of Oscoda, Neal (Colleen) Emerick of Pigeon; four sisters, Dinah (Calvin) Witherspoon of Roscommon, Beth Emerick of Port Hope, Holly Emerick of Bad Axe, Paula Emerick of Oregon; two brothers-in-law, Wayne (Kathy) Cove of Bad Axe and Rick (Lynette) Cove of Bad Axe; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Jodie Marie Emerick.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. today, April 13, 2009 at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bad Axe. Rev. Kenneth Lueke, pastor officiated. Burial took place in the Colfax Cemetery.