

Fletcher, Edward

Edward G. Fletcher, 73, of Speaker Township died unexpectedly on Monday, April 9, 2001, on arrival at McKenzie Memorial Hospital in Sandusky. He was born on Jan. 23, 1928, in Speaker Township in Sanilac County, the son of Harry and Birdie Groat Fletcher. Ed served his country in the United States Army from October 1946 to February 1948. He and Shirley Phillips were married on Feb. 4, 1949, in Sandusky. He was employed at Mueller Brass Co. in Port Huron from 1950 until retiring as a saw grinder in 1986. He was a lifelong area farmer. He is survived by his wife, Shirley; two sons, Rick Fletcher and his wife, Theresa, of Bad Axe and Larry Fletcher and his wife, Marie, of Almont; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; brother Merrell; and a sister, Joyce Jones. He was preceded in death by sons, Ronald in 1980 and Robert in 1997; brother, Clifford; sister, Erva. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Thursday, April 12, 2001, at Kaatz Funeral Directors, 10 S. Main St. in Yale. The Rev. John Allen, pastor of Yale United Methodist Church will officiate. Visitation is from 10 a.m. until the time of services Thursday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Muscular Dystrophy Association.