JOSEPH M. KARL

1937 - 1987

Joseph M. Karl, 50 of Caseville, died Wednesday at Scheurer Hospital, Pigeon, after suffering an apparent heart attack.

He was born Sept. 12, 1937 in Verona Township, son of John Karl and Ada (Newville) Sikoski.

On Jan. 2, 1960, he was united in marriage to Eva Briesmister at St. Roch Catholic Church, Caseville.

Mr. Karl lived in Huron County all his life. He was a former employe of Michigan Oven Co., Caseville, Active Industries, Elkton and a member of St. Roch Catholic Church.

Surviving are his wife, Eva of Caseville; three sons, William Karl of Caseville, Joseph and Martin Karl, both at home; four daughters, Mrs. Mitchell (Theresa) Langley of Bad Axe, Mrs. Steven (Christine) Petrat of Manchester, N.H., Kelly and Kathy Karl, both at home; four grandchildren; his parents, John of Caseville, and Ada of Bay Port; three brothers, Howard Karl, Michael Karl and Louis Karl, all of Pigeon; one sister, Mrs. Don (Janet) Ousley of Bay Port.

Services were conducted Friday at St. Roch Catholic Church. The Rev. Theodore LaMarre, pastor, officiated with burial in the church cemetery.

Arrangements were handled by the Caseville Chapel of Champagne Funeral Chapels. Any memorials or donations may be made to the family.