

Deering, Richard

Richard Douglas "Dick" Deering, 62, of Bay Port, died Friday, July 1, 2005, at Covenant Hospital Harrison in Saginaw. He was born at home in Bay Port on November 27, 1942, son of Helen Deering and the late William Deering. He graduated from Elkton High School in 1960, and served with the United States Army in Korea. He loved all sports, especially baseball, and in his early years he enjoyed playing blooper ball. He also enjoyed bowling and woodworking. He worked as a truck driver for the Wallace Stone Quarry. He is survived by his mother, Helen Deering, of Bay Port; a brother, Gerald W. Deering, of Bay Port; two sisters, Joanne Kunding and Janet Hydorn, both of Caseville; two aunts, Mary Durkee, of Sebawaing and Pauline Cherry, of Homosassa, Florida; several nieces and nephews; and many friends. He was preceded in death by his father, William, and a brother-in-law, Robert Kunding. The funeral service will be conducted at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, July 6, 2005, at the Community of Christ Church in Bay Port, with Elder Ervin Haley, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in New Bay Port Cemetery. Visitation will be from 2 to 9 p.m. today at the Community of Christ Church in Bay Port. Memorials for Mr. Deering may be made to the American Heart Association, the Kidney Foundation, or the Bay Port Community of Christ Church.