

## **Gascho, Stanley**

Stanley L. Gascho, 78, of Pigeon, passed away Friday, January 30, 2004, at the Huron Medical Care Facility, Bad Axe. He was born in Pigeon on September 16, 1925 to the late Nicholas and Melinda (Brenneman) Gascho, and graduated from the Winsor School. He was united in marriage to Iva C. Swartzendruber at Pigeon River Mennonite Church on June 29, 1951. She preceded him in death on April 10, 1988. Stanley farmed throughout his lifetime and was a carpenter for many years. He owned and operated a number of rental properties in Saginaw as well. He was an active member of the Pigeon River Mennonite Church. He is survived by his daughter, June Ramos, of San Antonio, Texas; two sons, Eugene Gascho and his wife, Suzanne, Lee Gascho and his wife, Lana, all of Pigeon; six grandchildren, Jeremy, Kyle, Briana, Malea, Jalissa, and Kayleen; sister, Celesta Snyder and her husband, Kenneth, of Goshen, Indiana; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Gerald Gascho and Leon Gunden; and his stepmother, Mary Reber Gascho. The funeral service will be conducted at 2 p.m. today at the Pigeon River Mennonite Church with the Rev. Tom Beachy, pastor, and the Rev. Luke Yoder officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Arrangements are being conducted by Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home in Pigeon. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. until the time of service at 2 p.m. today at the church. Memorials for Mr. Gascho may be made to Pigeon River Mennonite Church, Mennonite Disaster Service, or Habitat for Humanity.