

# ROBERT DAVIS

1922- 1988

Robert Davis, age 66, of Cadillac, formerly of Jersey City, N.J. and a childhood resident of Caseville and Owendale, passed away Saturday, Dec. 31 at Lakeview Nursing Home, Cadillac.

Mr. Davis was born on Dec. 1, 1922 in Huntington, W. Va., son of the late Robert E. and Elizabeth (Meyers) Davis. In June of 1946 he was united in marriage to Bernice Kiston in Jersey City, N.J. She preceded him in death in 1976.

He was a World War II U.S. Navy Veteran having served between 1942 and 1946. He was a fireman and was later promoted to Engineer for the Lackawanna Railroad in New Jersey and New York, retiring in the late 1960s.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Michael (Sharon) Plaskon, Bayonne, N.J.; three grandchildren, Michael, Jeffrey and Monica; seven sisters, Mrs. Emil (Marie) Radabaugh, Kinde; Mrs. Freda Ballengee, St. Albans, W.Va., Mrs. Charles (Alma) King, Lansing, Mrs. Robert (Aleen) Henke, De Witt, Mrs. Conrad (Dolly) Graham, Sylvania, Ohio, Mrs. Donald (Frances) Rose, Bay City, Mrs. Frank (Shelby) Vugrin, De Witt; a brother, Carl Davis, Charlotte; three step-brothers, Charles Benda, Caseville and Daniel and William Benda of Charlton Heights, W.Va. and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his step-mother Dorena Davis and a sister, Doris Bays.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Jan. 3 at 1:30 p.m. from the Shetler-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. Rev. Vernon J. Tew, Jr. of the Filion Church of the Nazarene officiated with burial in the Grand Lawn Cemetery, Pigeon.

Memorials may be made to the Lakeview Nursing Home, Cadillac.