

Carlson, Michael

Michael "Mike" Thomas Carlson, 43, of Cass City died Wednesday, March 8, 2000, at Hills and Dales General Hospital, Cass City. He was born April 18, 1956, in Mount Clemens to Emil and Julia (Spencer) Carlson. He married Teresa Teller in 1990 in Caro. Mike worked for Numatics in Sandusky, Ford Motor Co. and Macomb County Human Development. He was an avid fisherman and hunter. Mike enjoyed gardening and growing roses and was building a greenhouse. He was very creative and artistic. Mike is survived by his son, Jason Allor of Kingston; his mother, Julia Eckert of Cass City; his father, Emil Carlson of Racine, Wis.; brothers and sisters, Elizabeth Finley and her husband, Randy, of Armada, Joseph Carlson of Racine, Wis., James Carlson of Cass City, Laurie Carlson and Linda Carlson, both of Kenosha, Wis., Julia Beaver and her husband, Christopher, of Racine, Wis., John Carlson, Douglas Eckert and Angela Eckert, all of Cass City; aunts and uncles, JoAnn LaFave and her husband, Robert, of Gainesville, Fla., David Spencer and his wife, Mary, of Minnesota, Margaret Ross of Clawson, Larry Spencer of Deford, Delores Lucylece and her husband, Albert, of Romeo, Mildred Banker and her husband, Russ, of Allenton, Marjorie Machuga of Berville, and Douglas Jr. Eckert of Fraser; a special friend, Joy Watts; and many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his infant sister, Mary Jane Carlson; maternal grandparents, Julia and David Spencer; and paternal grandparents, Anna and Carl Carlson. Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday, March 11, 2000, at Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with the Rev. Elwin Hazen of Great Lakes Bible Church, Mayville, officiating. Visitation will be 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. today and noon to 1 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Family Discretionary Fund.