

**Buerker, Robert**

Robert B. "Bob" Buerker, 68, of Pigeon passed away Sunday, Sept. 10, 2000, at Scheurer Hospital in Pigeon. He was born on Oct. 27, 1931, in Bad Axe, the son of the late Albert and Emma (Maier) Buerker, Sr. On April 7, 1956, he was united in marriage to Clara L. Marshke at St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon. She survives him. Mr. Buerker farmed for many years. He also worked for the Cooperative Elevator Co. in Pigeon until his retirement in 1981. He was a member of St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church in Pigeon. He is survived by his wife, Clara; a sister, Dolores Greyerbiehl and her husband, Donald, of Rochester; nieces and nephews; and several cousins. He was preceded in death by brothers Carl and Albert. Mass of Christian Burial will take place at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 13, 2000, at St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church with burial in the church cemetery. There will be a rosary at 7 p.m. and a vigil service at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, both at Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home in Pigeon. Visitation will be 6 to 9 p.m. this evening, from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday, and from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Memorials may be given as Mass offerings or to the charity of the donor's choice.