

Heilig, Gene

Gene L. Heilig, 48, of Canton Township died Thursday, Jan. 10, 2002, at his home. Gene was born on Dec. 6, 1953, in Bad Axe to Bernard and Alice (Byarski) Heilig. Gene was in the United States Navy. He enjoyed hunting and fishing. Gene is survived by his mother, Alice, of Southfield; father, Bernard and his wife, Josephine, of Cass City; one sister, Diane Bodner and her husband, Louis, of Kinde; one brother, Gary Heilig and his wife, Elizabeth, of Commerce Township; 10 nieces and nephews, Jim Bodner and his wife, Heidi, of Kinde, Tammy Bodner of Port Austin, Deanna Lincoln and her husband, Gary, of Milford, Courtney and Robert Heilig of Commerce Township, Michael Bodner of Redford, Jesse, Nicholas, Jessica and Miranda Bodner of Kinde. A nephew, Thomas Bodner, preceded Gene in death. Cremation took place at Sunset Valley Crematory in Bay City. A memorial service will be conducted at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 26, 2002, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Dwight. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday at the church. Memorials may be made to the Family Discretionary Fund. Arrangements are being handled by MacAlpine Funeral Home-Gage Chapel of Kinde..