

Kundinger, Wayne

Wayne F. Kundinger, 64, died early Wednesday morning, Sept. 11, 2002, at his home following a two-month illness. He was born Feb. 17, 1938, in Sebewaing, son of the late Frederick and Olga (Brechtel) Kundinger. He was a 1956 graduate of Sebewaing High School. He was united in marriage to Marian N. Nagy on July 13, 1963, in Fairgrove. Wayne was a licensed master plumber and mechanical contractor. He was co-owner of Kundinger & Kroll of Sebewaing where he had been employed from 1958 until his retirement in March of 2000. He was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, serving for many years as trustee, usher, and also was chairman of the building committee. He also was a charter member of the Sebewaing Jaycees, Sebewaing Lions Club, had served on the Sebewaing village council, and belonged to the Thumb Area Plumbers. He was an avid hunter and fisherman and enjoyed traveling and golf. Surviving besides his wife, Marian "Mike"; one son, Brent Kundinger of Big Rapids; two daughters, Margaret Eickhoff and her husband, Michael, of Three Rivers, and Janna Hopak and her husband, Ryan, of Hollywood, Calif.; four grandchildren, Alex Kundinger and Melanie, Madalyn, and Claire Eickhoff; two sisters, Sylvia Oeschger and her husband, Willet, of Sebewaing, and June Churchman and her husband, James, of Midland; one brother, the Rev. Brian Kundinger and his wife, Janet, of Oshkosh, Wisc.; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by an infant son, David W. Kundinger, in 1966. The funeral service will take place at 11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 14, 2002, at Trinity United Methodist Church. The Rev. Ray McGee will officiate with burial in the Silverlawn Cemetery. A memorial service will be held at 8 p.m. Friday at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home in Sebewaing under the auspices of the Sebewaing Lions Club. Visitation will be from 4 to 9 p.m. Thursday, and 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. He will lie in state from 9:30 a.m. Saturday until the time of service at the church. Memorials may be made to the Trinity United Methodist Church Building Fund, United Hospice, or the Sebewaing Library.