

**Baranski, Edwin W.**

(February 29, 1934-March 12, 2011)

Edwin W. Baranski, 77, of Kinde, died Saturday, March 12, 2011 at Vibra Hospital of Southeastern Michigan in Lincoln Park.

He was born Feb. 28, 1934 in Dwight Township, son of the late Walter and Lucy (Polega) Baranski. Edwin and Virginia Duda were married at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rapson on Dec. 1, 1956. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Dwight Township, where he was a member of the usher's club for many years. He enjoyed playing cards, fishing and hunting. He loved visiting with friends and family, and his sweet corn and produce customers both at home and at the Farmer's Market. He considered attending school functions and watching his kids participate in sports special events.

He is survived by his wife, Virginia; his children, Richard (Brenda) of Kinde, Kenneth (Jane) of Cass City, Walter (Debra) of Bad Axe, Martin (Kimberly) of Kinde and Kelly (Todd) Agee of Filion; his grandchildren, Teri, Stephanie, Jill, Evan, Brandon Breann, Adrienne, Justin, Jaylen, Leanne, Sarah and Thomas; a great-granddaughter, Abigail; and his sister, Judith (Lawrence) Huddelston of Madison Heights.

Funeral mass will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 17, 2011 at St. Mary's Catholic Church of Dwight Township. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Visitation will be from 2 until 9 p.m. Wednesday at the Knoblock Funeral Home in Kinde and from 10 a.m. until the time of Mass Thursday at the church. There will be a parish vigil at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.