

Kriewall, William J.

William John Kriewall, 80, of Harbor Beach, passed away Wednesday, April 1, 2009 at Huron Medical Center in Bad Axe.

He was born on Dec. 25, 1928 in Grosse Pointe to the late Paul and Amelia (Gerstenschlager) Kriewall.

Bill and Kathryn Ganley were united in marriage on Jan. 12, 1957 in Harbor Beach.

Bill was a member of Zion Lutheran Church of Harbor Beach. He served in the United States Air Force during the Korean Conflict, and sailed the Great Lakes for four years after returning from the service. Bill was a member of the American Legion Post 197 of Harbor Beach, a member of the Harbor Beach Conservation Club and the Harbor Beach Gun Club.

He is survived by his wife, Kathryn of Harbor Beach, and their children, John Kriewall and his wife, Ruth, of Harbor Beach, and Jan Adler and her husband, Jim, of Ruth; five grandchildren, Andrea Kriewall and Aaron Kriewall both of Harbor Beach, Jeff Adler of Bad Axe, Brad Adler of Rochester Hills, and Renee Adler of Saginaw; and three great-grandchildren, Paxton, Kacey and Caeden.

He was preceded in death by his siblings, Paul and Lawrence Kriewall, Gertrude Kriewall, Dorothea Rodda, Ilene Moore and Evelyn Will.

Funeral services for Bill will take place at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, April 4, 2009 in the Zion Lutheran Church of Harbor Beach, with the Rev. Dave McCluskey officiating. Burial will follow in Rock Falls Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 1 to 9 p.m. Friday in the Ramsey Funeral Home of Harbor Beach. Visitation on Saturday will start at noon until time of services in the church. A scripture service will take place at 7 tonight at the funeral home. Military honors will be given in memory of Bill at Rock Falls Cemetery by the American Legion.

Memorials may be given to the Lawrence Stout Scholarship or the Harbor Beach Conservation Club.