

Leeson, Fred J.

Fred J. Leeson, 65, of Cass City, died unexpectedly Wednesday, March 7, 2007, in Baptist Hospital, Pensacola, Florida, following a short illness. He was born August 5, 1941 in Cass City to Russel and Mary (Mark) Leeson. He married Linda W. Hulien on February 6, 1965 in Cass City United Methodist Church. She died January 8, 2002. Fred later married Michelle Zdrojewski on December 10, 2005. Fred graduated from Cass City High School in 1959 during which he was awarded the Paul Smarks Award for athletics. He received his bachelor's degree from Michigan State University. Fred worked for Delphi in Saginaw as a Production Control and Logistics Manager, retiring after many years of service. He loved life and enjoyed golf and spending time with family and friends. Fred is survived by his wife, Michelle; son, F. Joe (Jill) Leeson Jr., of Cass City; grandchildren, Stephanie Leeson and Fred Leeson III; sister, Charlene (Dan) Sutherland, of Almont; and many nieces and nephews. Michelle's family: children, Jon (Deidra) Zdrojewski of Cass City, Dana (Marty) Cooley, of Roseville, and Douglas (Shannon) Zdrojewski, of Muskegon; grandchildren, Brandon Vargo, Lauren and Erin Zdrojewski, Samantha and Elizabeth Cooley, and Dylan and Rachel Zdrojewski; and mother, Germaine Thompson, of Minden City. A funeral service will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, March 13, 2007, in Cass City United Methodist Church with the Rev. Paul Donelson officiating. Interment will be in Elkland Township Cemetery. Visitation will be from 2 to 9 p.m. today at Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City as well as from 10 to 11 a.m. on Tuesday at the church. Memorials may be made to the Gavel Club, Rawson Memorial Library, American Heart Association or American Cancer Society. Family and friends may share memories, prayers and stories with the family at www.kranzfuneralhome.com.