

Balzer, Barbara

Barbara (Irion) Balzer, 49, of Lawrence, passed away suddenly Monday evening, April 3, 2006, at the Bronson Methodist Hospital, Kalamazoo. Barbara was born May 25, 1956 in Bay City, the daughter of Clemens and Madeline (Kroll) Irion. Barbara was employed by the state of Michigan working at the Department of Agriculture. She was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church, Paw Paw. On April 7, 1984, she was united in marriage to Raymond Balzer at the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Unionville. Surviving are her husband, Raymond; two daughters, Margaret and Rose, both at home; her mother, Madeline Irion, of Sebewaing; a sister, Martha (Jeff) Pearce, of Long Grove, Iowa; a brother, Timothy (Sandy) Irion, of Sebewaing; and several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. Burial will take place at the Demcrest Cemetery at Unionville at a later date. Memorials may be made to Scholarship Fund of Trinity Lutheran School. The family is being served by the Adams Funeral home of Paw Paw, (269) 657-6347.