

Arthur D. Hughes

1924 – 1995

Arthur Donald Hughes, age 71 of Owendale, passed away early Friday morning, October 6, at his home.

He was born in Owendale on February 8, 1924, the son of the late Nunley and Pauline (Siegwart) Hughes. On November 13, 1948 he was united in marriage to Jean R. Knisley in Bowling Green, Ohio.

Mr. Hughes was a World War II Navy veteran, having been present at Pearl Harbor when it was bombed. He was a lifetime member of the Free & Accepted Masons, Hazel Park, and a member of the Tip of the Thumb V.F.W. Post #2236, Pigeon. He attended the Farver Road Baptist Church, Gagetown.

Mr. Hughes was employed at the Automotive Tank Plant in Warren from 1949 until the early 1970's.

Surviving him are his wife, Jean; two daughters, Shirley (Douglas) Underwood, Moreno Valley, California and Carol A. Roffe, Clawson; a son, Michael H. Hughes, Edmonds, Washington; seven grandchildren; a sister, Elizabeth Reilly, Warren; a brother, Richard (Leona) Hughes, Troy; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by three brothers and five sisters.

Funeral Services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, October 9 from the Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon. Rev. Duane C. Plonta, pastor of the Farver Road Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Grant Township Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Farver Road Baptist Church or to the organization of the donor's choice.