

# PAUL BLISZACK

## 1909 - 1993

Paul Bliszack, 83 of Hume Trp, near Pinnebog, passed away Saturday, April 24 at Four Seasons Health Care Center, Bad Axe, after a short illness.

He was born Aug. 12, 1909 in Chicago, son of the late Paul and Isabelle (Kysko) Bliszack.

Mr. Bliszack moved to Elton with his family in May, 1919 to work in the sugar beet fields. On Dec. 2, 1933 he was united in marriage to Clarabelle Wallace in Bay City.

A graduate of the Detroit Barber College, he worked as a barber in Kinde before building a new barber shop in Pinnebog in 1939. He was still working until December, 1992, when he became ill.

Mr. Bliszack enjoyed perch fishing, was a HAM radio operator (K8BMM-H) for many years, a member of the Thumb Area Repeater Club, the Gideons, former member of Pinnebog Methodist Church before attending the Filson Nazarene Church.

He is survived by his wife, Clarabelle; a son, Harvey (Bonnie) Bliszack of White Lake; four daughters, Pauline (Robert) Smith of St. Clair Shores, Dorothy (Carl) Anderson of Redford, Betty Jean (Floyd) Petrowski of Bay City and Joann (Donald) Swanson of Waterford; 10 grandchildren, Eric, Lars, Ingrid, Mark, Timothy, Michael, Matthew, Bridget, Carl and Hans, and a sister, Anne Sauer of St. Clair Shores.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Jack and Frank.

Funeral services will be conducted today, Tuesday, April 27 at the Community Wesleyan Church, Elton, which was the site of his old homestead when he first moved to Elton almost 75 years ago. He and his brother Frank donated the property to the church.

The Rev. DeWeerd Smith, pastor, will officiate with burial in Riverside Cemetery, Elton. Funeral arrangements were handled by the Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elton.

Memorials may be offered to the Community Wesleyan Church, Elton or to the Gideons.