

Sosnoski, Blaine R.

Mr. Blaine R. Sosnoski, 64, of Bad Axe, passed away Wednesday, May 14, 2008 at Bay Regional Medical Center in Bay City.

Blaine was born on May 13, 1944 at home in Bloomfield Township to the late Ernest and Gertrude (Glaza) Sosnoski.

He married Linda Parker on July 22, 1966 in Verona. She preceded him in death on April 17, 2008.

Blaine was a graduate of Harbor Beach High School and St. Clair Community College. He served in the U.S. Navy. He worked at Tower Automotive, retiring after 43 years. Blaine enjoyed golfing, hunting, fishing, playing cards and spending time at his cabin in Lewiston. He truly enjoyed spending time with his family, grandchildren and friends.

Blaine is survived by one daughter, Tiffany Essenmacher; and her husband, Ken, of Ruth; three grandchildren, Amber, Brooklynn and McKenzie Essenmacher; one sister, Sandra Duda and her husband, Donald, of Harbor Beach; his father-in-law, Jerry Parker of Harbor Beach; one brother-in-law, Gerald Parker and his wife, Bea, of Harbor Beach.

He was preceded in death by one brother-in-law, Dennis Parker and his mother-in-law, Madeline Parker.

The funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 17 at the Smigielski Funeral Home in Minden City. The Rev. Joseph Griffin, pastor of St. John Catholic Church in Ubly, will officiate. Burial will be at the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Rapson with military honors provided by the Burhams-Hagedon American Legion Post #197 of Harbor Beach.

Visitation will be from 2 to 8 p.m. on Friday and from 9 to 10 a.m. Saturday at the Smigielski Funeral Home on Cass Ave in Minden City

Memorials are requested to the Family Discretionary Fund.