

LESLIE E. SEARS

1930-1996

Leslie E. Sears, 66 of Sebawaing, died Thursday evening, Dec. 26 at his home following a seven-month illness.

He was born January 16, 1930 in Flint, son of Naomi June (Collins) Sears and the late Alfred Clayton Sears. He was united in marriage to Shirley B. Clark July 18, 1979 in Flint. He had been employed at Fisher Body #1 in Flint for 32 years and had farmed in the Goodrich area for many years before retiring and moving to Sebawaing in 1960.

Mr. Sears attended Bay Port United Methodist Church and was a member of Union Local #581, Fisher Body #1 of Flint.

Surviving are his wife, Shirley B. Sears, Sebawaing; his mother, Naomi J. Sears, Flint; two daughters, four sons and spouses; Connie and Phil Harris, South Branch; Gail and Eric Dixon, Thomson, CO; Tim and Pam Sears, Bay Port; Dale and Mary Sears, Apache Junction, AZ; David Sears, Weldman; Ernie Sears, South Branch; four stepdaughters, five stepsons, Michelle and Arthur Rye, Long Lake; Linda and William Hale, Las Vegas, NV; Nicole Dauterman, Hurley, MS; Jeanne Viau and friend, Kevin Monteith, Windsor, Canada; Michael Boucher and friend Robin, Catawissa, MO; Kim and Layonne Boucher, Lakeside, AZ; David Boucher and friend Pennie, Mt. Morris; Mark and Susie boucher, Colorado Springs, CO; Matthew boucher, Sebawaing; four brothers, four sisters and spouses; Alfred J. and Betty Sears, Davison; Robert and Janet Sears, Maranga, AZ; Larry and Pat Sears, Pontiac; Mike and Pat Sears, Clio; Florence and Ralph Morey, Harrison; Nina Smith, Clarkston; Pat and Al Carlisle, Grand Blanc; Nancy and Don Walters, Millington; 61 grandchildren; 39 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one stepson, Christopher Boucher, and one brother, Jack Sears.

Funeral service took place 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 29 at Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebawaing. Rev. Norman R. Beckwith officiated with burial in New Bay Port Cemetery in Bay Port.