

# **SANBURN LEE SMITH**

## **1936 - 1996**

Sanburn Lee Smith, 59 of Harbor Beach, formerly of Pigeon, passed away Thursday, May 9 in Harbor Beach Community Hospital, following a long illness.

He was born in Pontiac on May 23, 1936 to the late Sanburn and Harriette (Gravelin) Smith. He and Barbara Stein were married on June 11, 1955 in Linkville.

He was the owner of the Smith Department Store in Harbor Beach and had also owned Smith's Apparel in Pigeon.

Mr. Smith was a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Harbor Beach. He was the past president and organizer of the Harbor Beach Gun Club, a member and past president of the Harbor Beach Chamber of Commerce, a member of the Harbor Beach Marine Authority, an advisor to Signature Bank, life member of the Michigan Trap Shooters Association and life member of the American Trap Association and a member of the Michigan Appaloosa Association.

He was a past director of the Huron County Bank and the Port Hope State Bank, past member of the Harbor Beach Community Schools Board of Education and served on various committees for the City of Harbor Beach. He was a founder of the Snack Shack Bakery in Harbor Beach.

Surviving are his wife, Barbara Smith of Harbor Beach; three daughters, Roxanna (Scott) MacPherson of Harbor Beach, Leanna Smith of Kalamazoo and Lynelle (Matt) Schott of Harbor Beach and a granddaughter, Emma Rosa MacPherson of Harbor Beach.

Funeral services were held Sunday, May 12 at 2 p.m. in Zion Lutheran Church, Harbor Beach, with Rev. Eugene Koessel, pastor officiating. Burial was in the Grandlawn Cemetery, Pigeon.

The Ramsay Funeral Home, Harbor Beach, handled funeral arrangements.