

Paul V. Izydorek

Paul V. Izydorek, 66, of Decker, died Tuesday, Sept. 20, 2011 in St. Mary's Medical Center, Saginaw.

He was born May 2, 1945 in Detroit, to Valerian and Louise (Pankowski) Izydorek. He married Karen Powell on Oct. 17, 1964. He later married MariAnn Saenen on Aug. 14, 1990.

Paul worked as a journeyman machine repair for General Motors in the Pontiac plant for 14 years. He then came home to farm full time until his retirement in 2010. Paul was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Argyle and Cass City Knights of Columbus Council No. 8892. He served on the Evergreen Board of Review for many years. Paul enjoyed farming, barbecuing over his fire pit, watching NFL football, playing pool, reading and nature. He was very generous with Catholic Relief Services. Family was the most important thing in his life, and he treated his friends like family.

Paul is survived by his children, Shannon Izydorek of London, UK, Randy Izydorek of Berkley and Paula Izydorek of Los Angeles, Calif.; grandson, Reed Temai Bracero, age 7, of Los Angeles; brothers, Charles (Jo) Izydorek of Decker, George (Barb) Izydorek of Metamora, Eugene (Patt) Izydorek of Marlette, Bill (Edie) Izydorek of Decker and Steve (Paula) Izydorek of Springport; sisters, Ann Johnson of Riverside, Calif. and Sally (Larry) Wood of Deford; and many nieces, nephews, close friends and neighbors.

He is preceded in death by his infant son, Scott Michael; and his nephew, Todd Eugene Izydorek.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 24 in St. Joseph Catholic Church in Argyle, with The Rev. Joseph Griffin officiating. Interment will be in Elkland Township in Cass City. Pallbearers for Mr. Izydorek will be Damian Izydorek, Nicholas Izydorek, Andrew Izydorek, Ryan Izydorek, Brent Wood and John Gillig.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Kranz Funeral Home of Cass City, and from 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Argyle. There will be a Vigil Service at 7 p.m. Friday in Kranz Funeral Home of Cass City.

Memorials may be made to Catholic Relief Services.

Family and friends may share memories, prayers and stories with the family at www.kranzfuneralhome.com.