

JOHN HENRY ADOLPH DIENER 1915 - 1993

John Henry Adolph Diener, 78 of Pigeon, passed away Tuesday, Oct. 12 at St. Mary's Medical Center, Saginaw.

He was born in Pigeon on Jan. 25, 1915, son of the late John H. and Magdaline (Leonhard) Diener. He was united in marriage to Dorothea M. Strieter on Feb. 2, 1938 in Wadsworth, OH. She preceded him in death on May 13, 1993.

Mr. Diener was a faithful lifetime member of Cross Lutheran Church in Pigeon, where he was custodian for over 28 years. He was employed by the Wallace Stone Quarry as a crane operator for 40 years before his retirement.

Survivors include two sons, Rev. Ronald (Marlyn) Diener, Latayette, OH and Dennis (Carol) Diener, Pigeon; a daughter, Deann (John) Lewis, Saginaw; five grandchildren, Dennis Diener, Jr., Mark Diener, Lori Rathje, Ann Belle and Jodi Lewis; three great-grandchildren, Jenilee Rathje, Joshua Rathje and Joseph Belle and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a sister, two half-sisters and a half-brother.

Funeral services were conducted on Saturday, Oct. 16 at 11 a.m. from Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon. Rev. Raymond E. Orth, pastor, officiated with burial in the church cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Cross Lutheran Church.

The Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon, was in charge of funeral arrangements.

