

Jacoby, Henry

Henry Jacoby, 88, of Sebewaing and formerly of Unionville, died Tuesday morning, Sept. 25, 2007 at Bay Regional Medical Center in Bay City.

He was born Jan. 18, 1919 in Morino, Colo., son of the late John and Eva (Stromberger) Jacoby Sr.

He was united in marriage to Lydia Balzer on Dec. 5, 1937 in Sebewaing.

Henry was a farmer in the Unionville area for 64 years before retiring and moving to Sebewaing in 1984.

He was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church, served on the board of education for 12 years, taught Sunday School for 12 years, was a member of the choir and also the Gideons.

Surviving are his wife, Lydia of Sebewaing; one daughter and her husband, Dorothy and Erwin Houthoofd of Akron; one son and his wife, Jonathan and Denise Jacoby of Millsdat, Ill.; one daughter-in-law, Carolyn Willer of Bay City; nine grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandson.

He was preceded in death by one son, Clifford Jacoby; two brothers, John Jacoby Jr., Jacob Jacoby; and three sisters, Eva Balzer, Elizabeth Jacoby and Rachel Balzer.

Funeral service will take place at 1 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28, 2007 at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Unionville.

The Rev. Michael Allen will officiate with burial in the Demorest Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home in Sebewaing. He will lie in state from noon until the time of service Friday at the church.

Memorials may be made to St. Paul Lutheran Church, Unionville or the Gideons.

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