

Russel C. Anderson

1920 - 1996

Russel Charles Anderson, age 76 of Pigeon, passed away unexpectedly on Thursday, October 10 at Scheurer Hospital in Pigeon.

He was born in Caseville Township on March 12, 1920, the son of the late Charles and Lottie (Limberger) Anderson. On January 24, 1941 he was united in marriage to Maxine L. Waigle in Bowling Green, Ohio, and in 1991, they celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. Anderson was a 1938 graduate of Pigeon High School. During his earlier years, he was employed by Waigle Canning and S & S Motor Sales, and then by Paul's Hardware & International Harvester, all in Pigeon. For 26 years he was Insurance Agent for State Farm Insurance, retiring in 1982. Since that time, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson have spent their winters in Sarasota, Florida.

Mr. Anderson was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Pigeon. He was also a member of Scenic Golf and Country Club, as well as the Hubbard Winsor No. 420 Free & Accepted Masons.

His survivors include his wife, Maxine; a daughter and son-in-law, Sally (Michael Deeb) Dittman, Lapeer; three sons and daughters-in-law, Gary (Dena) Anderson, Cass City, Danny (Marsha) Anderson, Rockford, and David (Renée) Anderson, Bay Port; 12 grandchildren; one great grandson; two brothers, Albertus Anderson and Bruce (Gail) Anderson, all of Pigeon; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two brothers, Victor and J. Wayne Anderson.

Funeral Services will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 13 from the First United Methodist Church, Pigeon. Rev. Willard King, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Winsor Township.

Memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church or the American Heart Association.