

## **Hawk, John**

John Hawk, 73, of Sandusky, passed away Wednesday, July 21, 2004, at Saint Mary's Hospital in Saginaw. He was born on March 28, 1931 in Swoyerville, Pennsylvania to the late John and Josephine (Rapachinski) Hawk. John married Catherine "Kitty" Lavin on April 6, 1953 in Swoyerville, Pennsylvania. She passed away on December 22, 1997. Mr. Hawk was a member of the St. Mary's Catholic Church, Port Sanilac, and was also an active member in the church choir. He worked for Express Freight Lines in Detroit as a truck driver and also was an area farmer. He is survived by four children, John Hawk and his wife, Maria, of Allegan, Katie Loss and her husband, Skip, of Ruth, Hilda Stefan and her husband, Mark, of Ubly, and Bernie Hawk, of Sandusky; 12 grandchildren; one great-grandson; two brothers, Dan Hawk and his wife, Doris, of North Branch, Joe Hawk and his wife, Gina, of Pennsylvania; four sisters, Maria Soifer, of New Jersey, Margaret Hawk, of Pennsylvania, Patsy Kilduff, of Florida, Barbara Hall and her husband, Bill, of Minnesota; a dear friend, Louise Krease, of Port Sanilac; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one brother, James Hawk; and one sister, Josephine Ostrosky. Funeral Mass will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, August 14, 2004, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Port Sanilac with Fr. Paul Bala, of Port Sanilac, officiating. Burial will be in the Greenwood Cemetery in Sandusky. Visitation will be from 9 a.m. until the service time on Saturday, August 14, 2004, at the church. Memorials may be made to the family.