Albert J. Buerker 1924 - 1996

Albert John Buerker, age 72 of Pigeon, passed away Saturday, July 27 at McLaren Hospital in Flint.

He was born in Pigeon on June 23, 1924, the son of the late Albert Fred and Emma C. (Maier) Buerker. He was a self-employed farrier, working throughout Michigan with various county fairs and horse racing arenas, although basing his business in Montrose.

Mr. Buerker was a member of the St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church in Pigeon.

He is survived by a brother, Robert (Clara) Buerker, Pigeon; a sister, Dolores (Donald) Greyerbiehl, Rochester; three nieces; two great nephews; a great-niece; and several cousins. He was preceded in death by a brother, Carl.

The Vigil for the Deceased will be celebrated at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, July 29.

The Funeral Liturgy begins at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon, with procession to St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon, for the Funeral Mass at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Fr. Barney Janowicz, pastor, will officiate. The Rite of Committal will follow at the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made as mass offerings, or given to the organization of the donor's choice.