Fisher, Vera

Vera V. Fisher, 89, of Bad Axe, formerly of Tyre, passed away on Friday evening, July 27, 2001, at Huron Memorial Hospital after a sudden illness. She was born in Argyle on April 8, 1912, daughter of the late Simon and Stazy (Stepka) Franzel. On Nov. 11, 1929, she and Ira Fisher were united in marriage at St. Ignatius Catholic Church of Freiburg. He preceded her in death on March 9, 1988. Ike and Vera made there home in Tyre. Together they established lke's Tavern, which they operated for 50 years, from 1933 to 1983, and then retired and moved to Bad Axe. She attended Tamerack Country School and graduated from Tyre School. She was a member of St. Ignatius Catholic Church of Freiburg and a parishioner of Sacred Heart Parish of Bad Axe. She made her home with her daughter, Jean, and granddaughter, Jody. She enjoyed being active in her home and enjoyed her special friend, Barney, the bassett. She is survived by her three daughters, Irene Peters of Pontiac; Lillian Kubacki, of Ubly; Jean Fisher of Bad Axe; 14 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandson; four sisters, Isabel Peruski and her husband, Elmer, of Palms, Esther Morris of Palms, Mabel McCarty of Oxford, Catherine Heck and her husband, Emil, of Ubly; two brothers Ernest Bezemek and his wife, Betty, of Minden City, Joseph Bezemek and his wife, Patricia, of Ubly; two sisters-in-law, Catherine Bezemek of Decker, Margaret Franzel of Clinton Township; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ira; infant daughter. Rose Marie: two sons-in-law. Raymond Peters and Elmer Kubacki: one grandson, Ronald Kubacki; one brother, Louis Franzel; one sister, Margaret Franzel; three step-brothers, Mark, Stanley and Norman Bismack. Funeral Mass will take place at noon on Tuesday, July 31, 2001 at St. Ignatius Church of Freiburg. The Rev. Kevin Maksym, associate pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Visitation will be from 2:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Monday and from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home of Ubly. The vigil for the deceased will take place at 8 p.m. on Monday at the funeral home.