

Thursday, April 14, 2005

## Obitu

### Elmer J. Siefring

Elmer J. Siefring, 75, 4015 Darke-Mercer County Line Road, Fort Recovery, Ohio died at 2:15 a.m. Saturday, April 9, 2005 at his residence.

He was born October 20, 1929 at Burkettsville, Ohio to the late Henry and Agnes (Reier) Siefring. He was married in Osgood, Ohio on June 17, 1959 to Rita F. Mescher who survives.

He is survived by three sons, Luke (Peggy) Siefring and Michael (Angie) Siefring, both of New Weston and Chris Siefring, Burkettsville; five daughters, Diane (Jeff) Schulze, Fort Loramie; Lisa (Rick) Schulze, Willowdell.; Rosann (Harold) Philipot and Mary (Ron) Gehret, both of Versailles; Sarah (Troy) Flenar, St. Henry and 20 grandchildren.

He is also survived by two brothers, Cyril (Romilda) Siefring and Herbert (Irene) Siefring both of New Weston; eight sisters, Alfreda Rose, St. Henry; Lucille (Leon) Kramer, Celina; Esther Evers Wuebker and Mary (Hubert) Liette, both of Burkettsville; Mildred Mendenhall, Coldwater; Eulalia Zumberger, Anna; Jeanette (Paul) Lennartz, St. Marys; Virginia (Robert) Schafer, St Anthony; and sister in law, Hilda Siefring, Burkettsville, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Aloys Siefring; one sister, Florentine Siefring; and five brothers in law, Walter Evers, Victor Wuebker, Ralph Rose, Ronald Mendenhall and John Zumberger.

He was a member of St. Bernard's Catholic Church, Burkettsville, Ohio; a member of the Men's Sodality of the parish and a member of the Darke County Farm Bureau Board.

He was a farmer.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 13, 2005 with Fr. Larry Wyen officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Memorials were directed to the Center for Neurological Development or State of the Heart Home Health and Hospice.