

Thursday, August 17, 2006

Obituaries

Dick H. Bruggeman

Dick H. Bruggeman, 71, 8561 St. Rt. 119, Maria Stein died on Friday, August 11, 2006 at 2:15 a.m. at Community Hospital, Coldwater. He had been ill for one year.

He was born on February 5, 1935 in Maria Stein to Joseph and Regina (Riethman) Bruggeman.

On November 4, 1959 he married Ruth A. Hilgefort in Fort Loramie and she survives at the residence.

He is also survived by three sons: Joe (Kay) Bruggeman, David (Michelle) Bruggeman, Don (Stephanie) Bruggeman, all of St. Henry, two daughters: Deborah (Dan) Beyke, St. Sebastian and Sheila (Ron) Wentz, New Bremen, one sister: Mary (Leo) Dietz, Maria Stein and two brothers-in-law: Clifford Dietz, Botkins and Walter Boehmer, St. Marys and 15 grandchildren.

Preceding him in death in addition to his parents was an infant daughter, Mary Ann, one brother, James and two sisters: Grace Dietz and Bea Boehmer.

He was a member of St. John the Baptist Church, Maria Stein, Men's Sodality of the Church and a 1952 graduate of St. John School, Maria Stein.

He was a veteran of the Korean War having served in the Marines.

He retired from Thieman Stamping in New Bremen.

Services were held on Tuesday, August 15 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church with burial following in the church cemetery. Rev. Kenneth Schroeder officiated.

Hogenkamp Funeral Home in Minster was in charge of arrangements.