

Obituary

Albert J. Buening

COLDWATER — Albert J. Buening, 77, of 809 W. Vine St., Coldwater, died at 1:19 a.m. Sunday, June 18, 2006, at Briarwood Manor Nursing Home in Coldwater.

He was born on March 11, 1929, in Coldwater to the late Bernard J. and Julianna (Bruggeman) Buening. He married Betty Jane (Ahlers) Buening on July 4, 1953, in St. Henry. She survives him at home.

Mr. Buening is survived by five children: Linda and Ron Schoenlein of Cassella, Sharon and Luke Timmerman of Coldwater, Connie and Joseph Wenning of Coldwater, Joseph Buening of Coldwater and Angela and Jason Gable of Sylvania. He is also survived by 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Also surviving are brothers and sisters: Ernest and Dorothy Buening of Coldwater, Urban and Rita Buening of Coldwater, Roman and Norma Buening of Maria Stein, Gregor and Helen Buening of Coldwater, Paul and Juanita Buening of Saint Henry, Mary and Robert DeMange of Ansonia and Marita and Tony Grilliot of Celina.

Deceased are two brothers, Louis and Clarence.

Mr. Buening attended Holy Trinity Catholic Church and was a member of Knights of Columbus Council 1991 in Coldwater and the Fraternal Order of Eagles 3025, Coldwater. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army serving during the Korean War. He retired from Reynolds & Reynolds in Celina.

Mass of Christian Burial was to be held Wednesday, June 21, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church with the Rev. Ronald Wilker officiating. Visitation was held at Hogenkamp Funeral. Burial was at St. Elizabeth Cemetery in Coldwater.

Contributions may be made to the Gerad Cancer Center in Celina.