

## Charles S. Geise

Charles S. Geise, 79, of Coldwater, died at 12:05 a.m. Friday, April 13, 2007, at Celina Manor Nursing Home of natural causes.



He was born Oct. 24, 1927, in New Weston, a son of Henry and Elizabeth (Geier) Geise, and they preceded him in death.

On July 3, 1948, he married Ruth Post, in St. Anthony, and she preceded him in death on Oct. 15, 2003.

He is survived by a son, David (Cindy) Geise of Coldwater; two daughters, Linda (John) Campbell of Fort Loramie, Kathy (Tim) Hoyng of Coldwater; two sisters, Viola Sitzman of Dayton, Esther Smith of Indian Lake; a brother-in-law, Wilbur Thobe of Minster; two sisters-in-law, Butch Geise of Coldwater, Evelyn Geise of Coldwater; 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents and wife, four brothers, Arthur, Alfred, Elmer, Robert; five sisters, Loretta Schulte, Martha Thobe, Mildred Kinninger, Mary Jane Knapke, Josie Knapke and a daughter-in-law, Angie Geise, preceded him in death.

He was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, the Fraternal Order of Eagle Post 3025 in Coldwater, Knights of Columbus Council 1991 in Coldwater, and a social member of the Coldwater American Legion Post 470.

He was retired from the former New Idea plant in Coldwater.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Monday, April 16, 2007, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Coldwater, with the Rev. Ronald Wilker officiating. Burial followed at St. Elizabeth Cemetery in Coldwater.

Hogenkamp Funeral Home in Coldwater was in charge of arrangements.

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