Maurice V. Klosterman

Maurice V. Klosterman, 96, of Celina, the oldest living member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Montezuma, died Monday, June 1, 2009 at Celina Manor Nursing Home.

He was born Aug. 28, 1912 in Montezuma to the late John J. & Rosa (Dorsten) Klosterman. On Oct. 22, 1938 he married Helen Uhlenhake in St. Henry, and she survives.

Also surviving five children: Dale (Bernice) Klosterman of Celina, Glen (Luella) Klosterman of Minster, Dottie (Henry) Dickman of Minster, John (Linda) Klosterman of Saint Marys and Sally (Larry) Aller of Lawton, Okla.; as well as 17 grandchildren and 42 great grandchildren. He also leaves behind sisters, Dorothy Haber of Dayton and Ethel Haren of Fair Oaks, Texas, and brother Omer (Anita) Klosterman of Celina. He is preceded in death by a great-grandson Nathan Lammers, sister Alma Meyer, brothers-in-law Paul Meyer, Robert Haber and James Haren and sister-in-law Rita Klosterman.

He was a lifetime member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Montezuma, the men's holy name society of the church, church choir over 50 years and lay advisor when the church was built in 1959. He was a retired farmer.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Our Lady of Guadalupe on Friday, June 5, 2009 at 10:30 a.m., with Rev. James Dugal officiating. Visitation will be at Hogenkamp Funeral Home in Coldwater on Thursday, June 4, 2009 from 2 to 8 p.m., and on Friday, June 5, 2009 from 9 to 10 a.m. Burial will be at Our Lady of Guadalupe Cemetery in Montezuma. Memorials can be made to Alzheimer's Association West Central Ohio Chapter Lima, OH 45805.