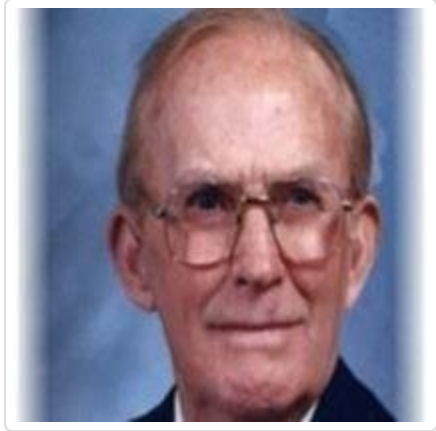




Leo John Parker

March 4, 1920 - March 29, 2008

Leo John Parker, 88, of Kenockee Township, passed away Saturday, March 29, 2008 at his home with family by his side.

He was born March 4, 1920, in Bad Axe, the son of the late Harry and Maybel Kerr Parker.

His marriage to Alice Albie Fritz was June 14, 1941 in Caro.

Leo was a faithful member of the Emmanuel Redeemer Lutheran Church, Yale. He was devoted in giving his time to the church. Leo was a farmer and worked his land through the age of 75. He enjoyed fishing, playing cards and traveling with his wife but especially loved spending time with his family and grand children.

Surviving in addition to his wife Alice of 67 years are a daughter and son-in-law, Judy and Gary Rusch; three grand children, Michael Rusch, Lori (Gabriel) Rice, and Timothy Rusch; two great-grand children, Ausstin and Jonathan; as well as many friends.

He was preceded in death by a brother Kenneth R. Parker.

His family honors the memory of Leo and invite you to visit and share Monday 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Kaatz Funeral Directors, Yale. Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Tuesday with 10:00 a.m. visiting at Emanuel Redeemer Lutheran Church, Yale. Rev. Joel Neuman, will officiate. Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery, Yale

Memorials are suggested to Emanuel Redeemer Lutheran Church, Yale.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **31**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kaatz Funeral Directors - Yale
10 S. Main Street
Yale, MI

Service

APR **1**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Emanuel Redeemer Lutheran Church
11089 Yale Road
Yale, MI

Tribute Wall



“ Mrs. Parker, Judy and Gary,

On behalf of my mother, Mrs. Sylvia Adrian, and our entire family, may we express our sincerest sympathies in your earthly lost of your husband and father. I know that my dad thought highly of both your fathers and was so glad to be able to work with them for so many years in the interest of the combined parishes back in the 1960's and on the Council and committees at Emanuel-Redeemer.

We are especially comforted at this time of year in the midst of the Easter season to be reminded that our separation is but for a short time, that our Lord's resurrection ensures us of our own and that one day we shall all be together again with our Lord and all our loved ones.

Sincerely,

*Mrs. Sylvia Adrian, Port Huron, and
Robert and Karen Adrian, Milwaukee.##imported-begin##Bob
Adrian##imported-end##*

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“ *To Leo's Family, I have fond memories of Leo from my days working at the Avoca Elevator. He was a nice guy to be around. I have lost touch with many friends having lived in TN for 34 years. Wanted to let you know I am thinking and praying for you during this sad time in you life. Rick##imported-begin##Rick & Marilyn Carr##imported-end##*

March 30, 2008 at 07:59 AM



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Judy,

My Dad's (Sam's) funeral was today in Yale and I was just checking the posted messages when I saw your fathers name on the list.

Losing Frank last October and now Dad, I hope you know that I offer my deepest sympathy and prayers for your whole family. Take

Care, Linda Hija##imported-begin##Linda Holsworth

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