

Jim Pauley, 59

DEFIANCE — Jim Pauley, son of Bernard and Gertrude (Wiese) Pauley was born April 19, 1928, on a farm near Panama. He died at Myrtue Memorial hospital in Harlan, Jan. 29, 1988 at age 59 years, 9 months and ten days.

He was baptized, received his First Communion and was confirmed at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Portsmouth. In 1941, he moved with his family to Defiance. He attended country school in Crawford and Shelby county. After school, he farmed with his dad before entering the U.S. Army. He served his country during the Korean Conflict. After his honorable discharge, he returned to Defiance, where he continued the family farm operation. He was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church in Defiance.

He was preceded in death by his father, Bernard on May 28, 1978. He is survived by his mother, Gertrude of Defiance; one brother, Ervin of Defiance; two sisters, Bernadine (Mrs Ivo) Coenen of Defiance and Blanche (Mrs Dwight) Zimmerman of Harlan; 12 nieces and nephews; five great nieces and nephews and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was concelebrated Feb. 1, 1988 at St. Peter's Catholic Church, Defiance with Rev. Garry Culver as the celebrant and Rev. Lawrence Beeson as the concelebrant. Burial was in the Harlan cemetery with Tom Kelley, Alan Kenkel, Duane Jacoby, Francis Wiese, Leonard Bissen, Lloyd J. Pauley, Lawrence Sporrer and Richard A. Sturgeon serving as casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.