

## **BICKEL, DONALD LEE**

### **DeWitt**

Age 80, died May 24, 1998. Born April 22, 1918 in Missaukee Co., MI, Mr. Bickel is survived by his wife, Ethel; 1 daughter, Ethel (John) Markwart of Bristol; 1 son, Donald D. (Karen) of Grand Ledge; 5 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren; 4 brothers; 5 sisters. Funeral services will be held **Wednesday, May 27, 2 p.m. at the Gorsline-Runciman Co. DeWitt Chapel, 111 S. Franklin, DeWitt** with Pastor Daniel Towar of Lansing Seventh Day Adventist Church, officiating. Interment will follow in DeWitt Cemetery, DeWitt. The family will receive friends at the Chapel 1 hour prior to the service from 1-2 p.m.



**Hyacinth  
House**

*Van Peenen's  
Flowers*

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**FULL SERVICE • CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY**

be this Alice - spouse who  
came to Matri's 80th B-day party - 3-

**St. Johns**

**Bishop, Lawrence**, 90, retired  
farmer, died Friday. Services 2 p.m.  
today at Osgood Funeral Home, St.  
Johns.

3-19-97

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**Vermontville**



## **The Blizzards**

Arnold and Martha Blizzard of DeWitt celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary with their family March 1 at Royal Fork Restaurant.

He is a retired farmer. She is a homemaker.

The couple, married March 2, 1938, in Lansing, have two sons, Dale (Kay), Larry (Jan), daughter-in-law (Sue), and one son (Bruce) deceased; 12 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.



Mr. and Mrs. Alferd A. Wickerham  
request the honour of your presence  
at the marriage of their daughter

Susan Marie

to

Mr. Bruce Lynn Blizzard  
on Friday, the twenty-third of August  
Nineteen hundred and sixty-eight  
at seven o'clock in the evening

First Congregational Church

St. Johns, Michigan

Reception following  
Bingham Grange Hall  
corner of Taft Road & US-27

## **BOAK, CLARE W.**

### **DeWitt**

Age 73, passed away at home April 18, 1998, surrounded by his family. Born October 31, 1925 to William and Lula Boak, he loved to celebrate Halloween and will also be remembered for his sense of humor, good nature, and ability to befriend all. He served in the United States Army in World War II and Korea, and retired from a 27 year career with the Michigan Department of Transportation. He was a former Cub Master and Boy Scout leader, a past president of the Capital Area Brain Injury Alliance, a lifetime member of the VFW Post #671 and its Honor Guard. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Charlie and Cecil. A devoted family man, he is survived by his wife of 44 years, Mary Catherine "Kate"; 3 children, Kevin, John and Kathleen (Brian) Kinkel; 2 grandchildren, Jeff and Christine; brothers, Carl (Alma) and Calvin (Gladys); sister, Bernita (Vern) Benjamin; sisters-in-law, Edna and Lucille; and dear friend Jerry Cohen. The Funeral Mass will be celebrated **Wednesday, April 22, 1 p.m. at the Catholic Community of St. Jude, 801 N. Bridge Street, DeWitt**, with the Rev. Bernard L. Reilly, Pastor, officiating. The Rite of Committal will follow in St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery, Pewamo, at 2 p.m. Military graveside services and Honor Guard provided by the Edwin J. Leyanna VFW Post #671. Casket bearers will be his god children, Brian Angwin, Pat Cook, Dwight Boak, Tim Boak, Brian Benjamin and Don Kill. Friends may call at the Gorsline-Runciman Co. DeWitt Chapel, 111 S. Franklin, DeWitt, beginning Monday 7 p.m. where the family will receive friends from 7-9 p.m. and Tuesday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. and the Scripture Rosary will be recited at 7:30 p.m. Those desiring may make contributions to Clinton County Home Care and Hospice, 850 South Oakland, St. Johns 48879 or the Edwin J. Leyanna VFW Post #671, Honor Guard, 12550 S. U.S. 27, DeWitt 48820. Special thanks to angels on earth, Agnes Cairns, Nathan, Jessica, J.C., Diane B., Jackie, Mary Farley, and Peter Apostle with Clinton County Home Care and Hospice; and Andy and Theresa Angwin.



In Loving Memory

## The Twenty-Third Psalm

THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD; I SHALL NOT WANT.  
HE MAKETH ME TO LIE DOWN IN GREEN PASTURES;  
HE LEADETH ME BESIDE THE STILL WATERS;  
HE RESTORETH MY SOUL: HE LEADETH ME IN THE  
PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE...  
YEA, THOUGH I WALK THROUGH THE VALLEY OF  
THE SHADOW OF DEATH, I WILL FEAR NO EVIL;  
FOR THOU ART WITH ME; THY ROD AND THY STAFF  
THEY COMFORT ME. THOU PREPAREST A TABLE  
BEFORE ME IN THE PRESENCE OF MINE ENEMIES;  
THOU ANOINTEST MY HEAD WITH OIL; MY CUP  
RUNNETH OVER.. SURELY GOODNESS AND  
MERCY SHALL FOLLOW ME ALL THE DAYS  
OF MY LIFE: AND I WILL DWELL IN THE  
HOUSE OF THE LORD FOR EVER....

*In Memory of*  
**HARRY L. BOLLINGER**

*Date of Birth*  
March 15, 1906  
Vestaburg, Michigan

*Date of Death*  
January 19, 1975  
Traverse City, Michigan

### *Services at*

LEE R. RUMMELL FUNERAL HOME  
DeWitt, Michigan

Wednesday January 22, 1975

2:00 P. M.

Rev. Richard Clark  
Redeemer United Methodist Church

### *Bearers*

Lawrence Keck Orla McGulre  
Ray DeWitt John Hiatt  
Arthur Newman Lloyd Berkimer

*Burial*  
Chapel Hill Memorial Garden  
Lansing, Michigan

# POPULAR ST. JOHNS YOUNG COUPLE WED

## MISS MARY BOND AND LLOYD MARZKE SPEAK VOWS AT ST. JOSEPH'S SATURDAY

Miss Mary Bond and Lloyd Marzke, popular St. Johns young couple, were united in marriage on Saturday morning, August 26, 1933 at an 8 o'clock ceremony at St. Joseph's Catholic church. Fr. H. W. Rosebrook, local pastor, performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate families. The bridal march was played by Mrs. Leo Snitgen, and Miss Elizabeth Parish sang "Ava Maria."

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bond, was attractively attired in a navy blue crepe gown with matching accessories and her corsage was of pink rose buds, bachelor buttons and stock. Her maid of honor, Mrs. John Martin, wore a frock of slate grey with accessories of matching shade. Mr. Martin assisted the groom, who is the son of Mrs. Edith Marzke of this city, as best man.

The bride graduated from St. Johns high school with the class of 1929 and was employed in Detroit and Stockbridge for a year before accepting her present position as bookkeeper in the D. L. Hunt insurance office, where she has been three years. She expects to continue her work.

After attending the local high school Mr. Marzke held a position in Lansing for some time and is now employed in the F. C. Burk department store.

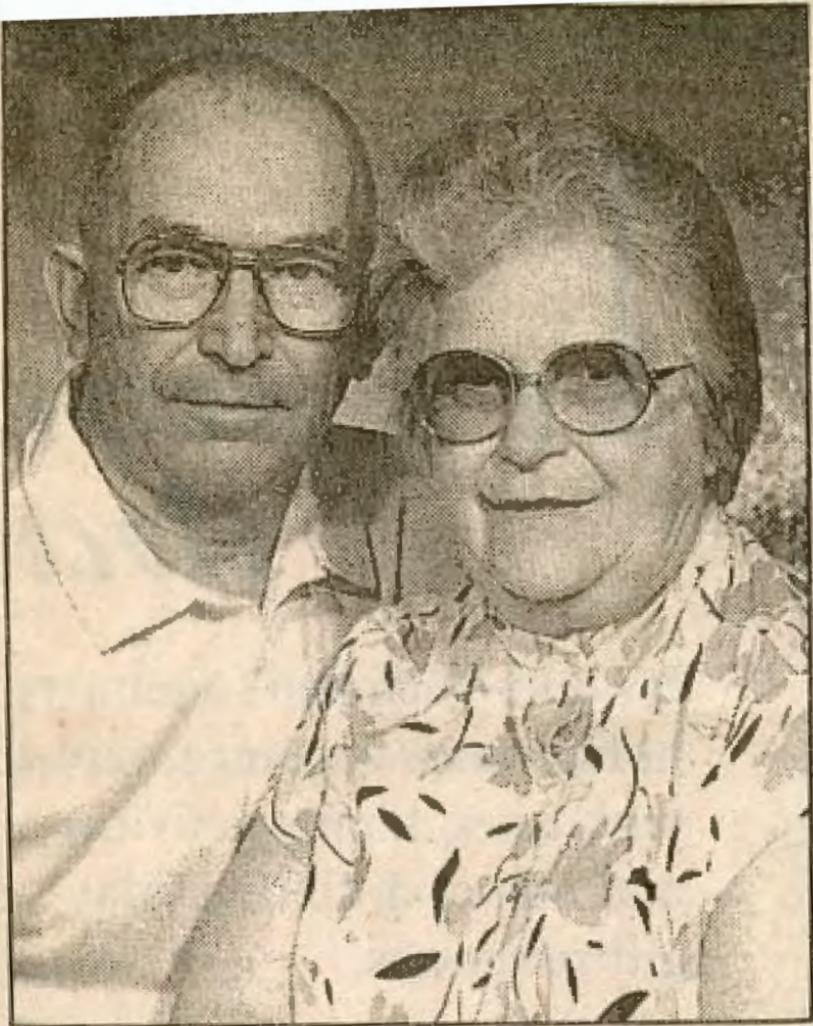
Out-of-town people who attended the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunneback and children and Mrs. Roman Stump and daughter of Lansing.



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*The children of  
Hugh and Ruth Bouts  
request the pleasure of your company  
at a Dinner to celebrate the  
Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary  
of their parents  
on Sunday, the sixteenth of February  
Nineteen hundred and ninety-two  
at two o'clock in the afternoon  
Prairie Creek Golf Course  
Banquet Center  
800 Webb Road  
DeWitt, Michigan*



## **The Boutses**

Farley and Goldie Bouts of Jensen Lake, Rooney, formerly of DeWitt, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house Saturday.

He was a tinsmith with Oldsmobile and retired in 1980. She retired from the state of Michigan.

The couple went to school together. They were married Nov. 27, 1946, in DeWitt Township, have four children; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

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