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## Michael G. Rueschenberg, 24

Michael George Rueschenberg, the son of Delbert and Anna Hastert-Rueschenberg, was born Sept. 8, 1958, in Harlan. He was baptized, received his First Communion, and confirmed at St. Boniface Catholic church in Westphalia. He attended St. Boniface grade school and later attended Harlan Community high school graduating in May, 1976.

While growing to adulthood, he helped on his parents farm and later during high school went to work for the Harlan Firestone Store under the Trade and Industries Program in 1976. After school, he continued to work at the Firestone Store and live at home, until he moved to a farm south of Harlan, near Cuppy's Grove, to live with his

brother, Gerard. This has been his home since that time.

He was a member of St. Boniface Catholic church in Westphalia. He died as the result of a Traffic Accident 2½ miles east of Harlan, on Sunday, May 8, 1983, at the

age of 24 years and 8 months.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents Frank and Theodora Rueschenberg. In addition to his parents, he is survived by four brothers, Gerard of Harlan and Edward, Francis (Frank) and Joseph, all of Westphalia; three sisters, Jane (Mrs Don) Zimmerman of Panama, and both Mary and Carol Rueschenberg of Westphalia; his maternal grandparents August Hasterts of Panama; aunts, uncles, cousins and other relatives.