William W. Erb Dec. 2, 1934 - July 17, 1987

William Wilbert Erb, 52, 1308 Park St., Cross Plains, died Friday, July 17, 1987, at his residence.

Born Dec. 2, 1934, in Monroe, he was the son of William S. and Bessie (Riese) Erb.

He attended Monroe schools and was married to the former Emilie Louise Gempeler, Jan. 14, 1956, in Monticello.

A licensed butter maker, he was employed at Zander's Creamery in Cross Plains since 1966.

Survivors include his wife, Emilie; His father, William Erb, Orangeville; three sons, Paul W., Monroe, Steven F. and David J. at home; a daughter, Mrs. Dale (Susan) Maerz, Wausau; a sister, Mrs. George (Marilyn) Wells, Monroe; a half-brother, Merlyn Erb, Monroe; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother in February of 1965.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Zwingli United Church of Christ, Monticello with the Rev. Charles G. Workman and Debbie Mundt, a Student assistant, officiating. Burial was in Highland Cemetery, Monticello.

Pallbearers were Roger R. Isely, and Fred E. Studer, Monroe, Allen Riese. Oregon, Edward Riese, Kenneth, Thomas and James Gempeler, Monticello, and Craig Marty, Dubuque, Iowa.

Voegeli Funeral Service was in charge of arrangements.