

WILLIAM A. GROSSEN

Mr. William A. "Bill" Grossen age 76 of rural Belleville passed away on Monday, December 13, 1999 at St. Mary's Medical Center, Madison, WI.

He was born July 6, 1923 in Washington Township, Green County, the son of Emil Sr. and Emma Dummermuth Grossen. Bill attended the Purcell and Pleasant View Schools. On February 9, 1945 he married the former Lucile Indergand at the Washington Reformation Church. He was a devoted farmer for over 60 years in Exeter Township and dearly enjoyed his farming. Bill was a dealer and county manager for Archer Petroleum Corporation for over 30 years. He also did custom butchering and processing for many years.

Bill was a member of the First United Church of Christ, Belleville, and was confirmed in Peace United Church, Browntown, He was also a member of the NFO, Ag Price and a former member of the Exeter Town Board.

Survivors include his wife Lucile, Belleville; three sons, Russell (Edie) Grossen, Brooklyn; Sheldon (Laurie) Grossen, Belleville; Terry (Ines) Grossen, Madison; two daughters, Janice Grossen, Lancaster; Betty (James) Watkins, Brooklyn; nine grandchildren; three brothers, George Grossen, Howard Grossen and Edward (Opal) Grossen. all of Monroe; two sisters, Arlene (Elwin) DeVoe, Monroe and Doris (Rodney) Zimmerman, Juda.

He was preceded in death by his parents; five brothers, Emil, Fred, John, Robert and Walter; three sisters, Marie Voegeli, Emma Ritschard and Wilma Reinmann.

Funeral Services will be held on Thursday, December 16, 1999 at 11:00 am. at the First United Church of Christ, 130 E. Church St. Belleville, with the Rev. William McIntyre officiating. Burial will be in the Exeter Cemetery.

Relatives and friends may call from 4:00 pm. until 8:00 pm. at the Becker – Beal Funeral Home, 212 Evarts St. Belleville.