



John Thorpe

May 12, 1936 - March 23, 2006

John P. Thorpe, 68, of Perryopolis, died Sunday, January 23, 2005 in Mon Valley Hospital. A son of the late John and Margaret Usher Thorpe, he was born May 12, 1936. Formerly of Rostraver Township, he had resided in Perryopolis for the past 10 years. Mr. Thorpe had been a coal miner in West Virginia. Survivors include a sister-in-law, Alois Thorpe of West Newton, 3 brothers, Robert Thorpe of Anaheim, CA, Gene Thorpe of Grindstone and Ronald Thorpe, and 3 sisters, Pearl McCoy of York, Charlotte Santo of Roscoe and Donna Lessman of Charleroi. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by 2 sisters, Hanna Jones and Edith Mowery and 2 brothers, Stewart U. and Mickey Lee Thorpe. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 P.M. Tuesday in the Ferguson Funeral Home, Inc. and Cremation Service, a Golden Rule Member Firm, 724-929-5300, 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon. Funeral services will be in the funeral home on Wednesday at 1:00 P.M. with Rev. Richard C. Klein, pastor of Rehoboth Presbyterian Church officiating. Interment will follow in Belle Vernon Cemetery.