

**ALBERT J. CLAUS**

Albert J. Claus, 69, 204 Lyme St., died at 10:20 a.m. Saturday, in Bellevue Hospital, where he had been a patient for one day. He had been ill for one year.

Mr. Claus was born Nov. 16, 1908, in Bismark, the son of Fred and Catherine Schriener Claus. He married the former Mary Brown, on Nov. 28, 1935, in Reed Assumption Church.

A retired farmer, he was a member of Immaculate Conception Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Nick (Kathleen) Kreinbrink, Shelby, Mrs. Robert (Rose) Fay, Bellevue, Mrs. Steve (Betty) Wasserman, Van Wert, and Mrs. Ray (Marlene) Meyer, Bellevue; four sons, Charles and Ronald, both of Bellevue, William, of Collins, and James, New Washington; 18 grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Ray (Anna) Willman, Attica, and three brothers, Clarence, of Willard, Walter and Vernon, both of Bellevue.

Mr. Claus was preceded in death by his wife; parents, one sister, two brothers, and one grandson.

Friends will be received today from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the Foes and Son Funeral Home, where the rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. tonight.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, in Immaculate Conception Church, with the Rev. Robert Kill officiating. Burial will be in Bellevue Catholic Cemetery.

The family has suggested that memorials, if desired, be made to the donor's favorite charity.