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Walter Schrinier

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Walter A. Schrinier, 76, of Tiffin, died Thursday morning, Oct. 16, 2008, at Volunteers of America Autumnwood Care Center.

He was born Nov. 25, 1931, in Attica, to Albert and Clara (Daniel) Schrinier. Oct. 26, 1963, he married Martha Reinbolt in St. Mary Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife of 44 years, Martha; a son, Mark (Donna) Schrinier of Republic; a daughter, Karen (Warren) Long of Findlay; a brother, Ronald (Mary) Schrinier of Tiffin; a sister, Ruth (Leo) Seasley of Republic; a sister-in-law, Jackie Schrinier of Huron; three grandchildren, Joshua, Michaela and Erin Long; three stepgrandchildren; and five stepgreat-grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his parents; and a brother, Herbert Schrinier.

Walt graduated in 1950 from Attica High School and was an operator for Conrail for more than 38 years, retiring in 1988. He was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church, Tiffin; Moose Lodge 846; and Mad River Rail Road Society. He traveled all 49 states by train, enjoyed playing harmonica, cards and euchre. He lived in Dundee, Fla., for 13 years working at a thrift shop with his wife and enjoyed people.

His funeral Mass is 10 a.m. Monday, Oct. 20, 2008, at St. Mary Catholic Church with the Rev. Eric Culler officiating. A rosary is to be prayed 15 minutes prior to Mass.

Burial is to follow at St. Mary Catholic Cemetery.

Friends may visit with the family 4-7 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 19, 2008, at Hoffmann-Gottfried-Mack Funeral Home, 236 S. Washington St., Tiffin, OH 44883, (419) 447-2424. A Christian wake service is at 6:45 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, friends may contribute to Walt's favorite charity, San De Le Manguana Mission, Mission Office, Diocese of Orlando, P.O. Box 1800, Orlando, FL 32802.

Letters of condolence may be sent and the guest book signed at www.hgmackfuneralhome.com.

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