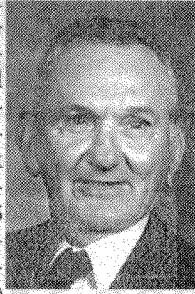


**MIHELICIC** - Tony, 79, Central City, died Dec. 19, 2001, at Memorial Medical Center. Born Feb. 28, 1922, in Windber, son of James and Margaret (Levar) Mihelcic. Preceded in death by parents and brothers, James, Frank and Andrew. Survived by wife of 55 years, former Julia Lucas; children, Carol (Tom)



Galayda, Julie (Percy) Bollman, Tony Jr. (Pamela), Christine (Gary) Sadlon, Billy (Kay), Gloria (Mark) Pollock and Ed (Jeanne); and grandchildren, Toni Marie, Brooke, Hilary, B.J., Renae, Kristen, Erica, Kristie, Ashley, Lucas, Benjamin, Justin, Katie and Marcus. Brother of Joseph (Dolly), New Paris; John (Nellie), Central City; Margaret Adomnik and Sister Christine Marie, both of Michigan; and Jenny, wife of late Tom Novak, Central City. Also survived by sister-in-law, Mary Mihelcic, Ohio; Mary Mihelcic, Central City; and Mary (Walter) Guydo, Hollsopple; and numerous nieces and nephews. Tony was a graduate of Shade High School. U.S. Army veteran of World War II, having served with the 83rd Infantry Division. Recipient of the Purple Heart. Retired from Reitz Coal Co. and former employee of New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co. Member of the original Central City Drum and Bugle Corps., where he served as treasurer; Central City VFW, where he served as secretary; UMWA Local 6410; and a 50-year member of SNPJ Lodge. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Mulcahy Funeral Home, where vigil for the deceased will be held Thursday afternoon. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday at Our Lady Queen of Angels Chapel, the Rev. Father William Mullen, celebrant. Committal, St. John the Baptist Cemetery. Graveside military rites by Central City VFW and American Legion posts.