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**Benjamin F. "Ben" Porter**, age 75, of Pittsford, passed away May 19, 2011. Ben was born February 12, 1938 in Hudson, MI the son of Frank and Nora (Sines) Porter. On February 19, 1973, he married the love of his life, Darlene. He was an avid gardener and loved to fish. In addition to his wife, Darlene, Ben is survived by his children, Darlene (Carl) Blankenship, Benjie Porter, April (Jack) Patterson, Shawn (Laurie) Porter, Teresa (Dale) Sharrar, Todd Porter and Tadd (Melissa) Porter and numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; a grandson and a great granddaughter. At his request, cremation has taken place and there will not be any services. A memorial is being planned for a later date. Condolences to the family may be made online at: [www.PurseFuneralHome.com](http://www.PurseFuneralHome.com)

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