

## **Bobby Van Beck, 70**

*June 30, 1928 - July 12, 1998* ✓

**HANCOCK** - Bobby Shafto Van Beck was born in Hancock, June 30, 1928, son of Anthony and Mayree Shafto Van Beck, and was one of four children in the family. He attended school through the sixth grade in the Hancock School, when he was unable to continue due to poor health. He worked as a farm laborer, working for Wiley King and then Martin Seed Company, until his retirement. He died at his home July 12, 1998, at age 70 years and 12 days.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two sisters, Ida Mae Brammann and Kathleen Lavonne Kellen; a stepbrother, Felix Henry Van Beck, and two stepsisters, Beatrice Minnick and Eunice Schuttloffel. He is survived by his brother, Tony Van Beck (Norma) of Avoca; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held July 17, 1998, at Knutson Funeral Chapel, Avoca, with Rev. Dr. Judy Flanegin officiating. Burial was in the Oak Hill Cemetery, Hancock. Casket bearers were Kenneth Martin, Dean Martin, Robert Wilds, Darrell Jacobsen, Rob Oehlertz and Troy Oehlertz.