

John E. Kirdzik Sr., of Big Ben Farms

John E. Kirdzik Sr., 55, of 180 Alphano Road, Great Meadows, died Friday, June 8, in Hackettstown Community Hospital.

He was currently the owner of Big Ben Farms in Great Meadows.

Born Jan. 28, 1946, in Newton, N.J., he was a son of the late Benjamin and Bertha Kott Kirdzik. He had been a lifetime resident of Great Meadows.

He was a member of SS Peter and Paul Roman Catholic Church in Great Meadows.

An avid hunter and fisherman, he was a member of the Independence Township Rod and Gun Club.

He is survived by his wife, the former Julie Kush; a son, John Jr. at home; three daughters, Laura Don Cheski of Hackettstown, Sandra Pixley of Great Meadows and Jacqueline, at home; three sisters, Victoria of Great Meadows, Mary Hudock of Hoboken, N.J., and Helen Oberly of Broadway, N.J.; and six grandchildren.

A brother, Benjamin, died Feb. 20, 1979.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in the church. Call 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday in the Scala Memorial Home, 124 High St., Hackettstown.

Burial will be in Pequest Union Cemetery in Great Meadows.

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