Michael Joseph Klitzke Jan, 8, 1972 - July 30, 1978

Michael Joseph Klitzke, age 6, who resides on his parent's farm, Route 1, Monticello, Washington Township, died around 8 PM Sunday, July 30, from injuries sustained in a tractor accident on the home farm.

Michael was reportedly working with his brothers in bringing a loaded hay wagon into the farmstead when the hay shifted in the wagon, causing the tractor to overturn, His brothers were thrown clear of the tractor, while Michael, who was riding on the tractor, was caught beneath.

He was born in Monroe on Jan, 8, 1972, the son of David R, and Syvia O, (Storch) Klitzke. He would have been in first grade in Monticello school this fall,

Survivors include his parents; four sisters, Cindy, Bonnie, Thersa, and Debbie; and five brothers, David, Dwayne, Daniel, Jim, and Billy, All of the above live at home, also, his paternal grandmother, Mrs. John Heimann, Monroe,

Funeral services were at 1:30 Wednesday in the Zwingli United Church of Christ in Monticello with the Rev, Charles Workman officiating. Burial will be in Highland cemetery.