

Stanley Bazan Dies From Bullet Wound

Stanley Bazan, 43, of 4933 Northcote Ave., East Chicago, died Sunday in St. Catherine Hospital of a bullet wound in the head. He was a well-known Calumet area baseball player.

East Chicago police said he was found sitting on the steps of an insurance agency at 810 148th St. East Chicago, late Saturday night, bleeding from a head wound. A 38 calibre sub-nosed revolver was found nearby.

Police said a suicide note was found later in his room.

MR. BAZAN had played Industrial League baseball in East Chicago for a number of years and had also played minor league baseball as a catcher.

Mr. Bazan was a lifelong resident of East Chicago and a veteran of World War II. He was a corporal in the U.S. Marines and recipient of a Purple Heart Medal with a gold star.

He was an employe of Inland Steel Co., and was a member of United Steelworkers Union, Local 1010, Club Ki-Yowga, American Legion Allied Post 369. He had played baseball for the East Chicago Taps.

HE IS survived by a daughter, Carolyn: his mother, Mrs. Magdalene Bazan of East Chicago; a sister, Mrs. Helen Kronland of East Chicago: a brother, Walter, of Calumet City; eight nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 8:30 a.m. at the Lesniak Funeral Home, 4918 Magoun Ave., East Chicago, and at 9 a.m. in St. Marys Church. Military rites will be in charge of Allied Post 369, at the gravesite in Holy Cross Cemetery.

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