Corliss (Leach) Lehtila (December 9, 2011 – April 26, 2011)

Corliss (Leach) Lehtila, age 84, of Kinde and formerly of Grindstone City, passed away Tuesday, April 26, 2011 at Brian's House, Bay City.

She was born December 9, 1926 in Detroit to the late Edison and Naomi (Silveus) Amstutz.



Corliss was united in marriage to Virgil S. Leach in 1947, he preceded her in death in 1971. She then married Bruno Lehtila in 1994, he preceded her in death in 2003.

She graduated from Redford High School. She moved to Grindstone City in 1972 and later moved to Kinde. She worked for the former First National Bank in Bad Axe as a teller. Corliss enjoyed knitting and cooking. She also enjoyed spending time with her family and friends.

Corliss is survived by her children, Carol A. Palmer and her husband, Ronald of Bloomfield Hills, Mi., Linda S. Leach of Novi, MI., Virgil P. Leach and his wife Judy of Bad Axe, Daniel S. Leach of Bad Axe, MI. and Nancy J. Costello and her husband, Frank of Kinde, MI.; eight grandchildren, Erin (Lori) Palmer and Stacey Palmer, Jason(Kelly) Leach, Joshua (Kelly) Leach, Jessica Leach and special friend, Shawn, Seth (Rachel) Leach, Stephanie Costello and special friend, Eric and Brent Costello and special friend, Melissa; twelve great-grandchildren.

Funeral Services will be 11 a.m. Friday, April 29, 2011 at the MacAlpine-Gage Chapel, Kinde, MI. with Rev. David Putz, officiating.

Visitation will be Thursday from 2:00 – 9:00 p.m. and Friday at 10:00 a.m. until time of service at the Chapel.

Memorials may be offered to the donor's choice.