Hines, Shirley L.

Shirley L. Hines, 85, of Sebewaing died Sunday, Jan. 20, 2008 at her home under hospice care following an eight-month illness.

She was born March 1, 1922 in Detroit, daughter of the late Earl and Lavina (Anderson) LaFayette.

She was married to Robert H. Hines on Sept. 23, 1940 in Detroit. He preceded her in death on Feb. 28, 1995.

Shirley had been employed at Sault Ste. Marie Mental Health Clinic for 10 years before moving to Arizona for some time and later to Sebewaing in 1988.

She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Sebewaing. She enjoyed painting, pottery and playing the organ.

Surviving are three daughters, one son and souses, Patricia (James) Story of Rose City, Deborah (Bill) Carr of Sebewaing, Cynthia (Judd) Howson of Sault Ste. Marie, Lawrence (Victoria) Hines of Unionville; eight grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; two sisters, Hazel MacCallum of New Bern, N.C., Jean Seehorsch of Williamsburg; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one grandson, Thomas Buehler; one granddaughter, Connie Krupa; and one brother, Alvin LaFayette.

The funeral service will take place at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 23, 2008 at Trinity United Methodist Church in Sebewaing. The Rev. Douglas Mater will officiate with burial in St. John's Lutheran Cemetery in Sebewaing.

Visitation will be from 2 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday at Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home in Sebewaing. She will lie in state from 10 a.m. until the time of service on Wednesday at the church. Memorials may be made to Visiting Nurse's Hospice or Trinity United Methodist Church.