

MARY R. McBRIDE

1908 - 1993

Mary R. McBride, 84 of Bad Axe, passed away Saturday, April 3 at the Huron Medical Care Facility, Bad Axe.

She was born Sept. 5, 1908 in Pigeon, daughter of Robert and Flose (Ort) Thiel. She was united in marriage to Merritt R. McBride on Oct. 24, 1928 in Detroit. He preceded her in death April 3, 1975. She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Bad Axe, a lifetime member of Daughters of Isabella and she served as Matron at the Huron County Jail from 1942 to 1972, while her husband served as Sheriff.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John (Patricia) Lucas and Jean Bowen, both of Bad Axe; one brother, Jack Thiel of Pigeon; one sister, Marge Kleido of Pigeon; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one sister, Anne Champagne and three brothers, Frank, William and Charles Thiel.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, April 7 at 11 a.m. from Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Bad Axe. Fr. Jack Loipert will officiate with burial in the church cemetery.

Visitation will take place Tuesday, April 6 from 3 to 9 p.m. A Parish Scripture Service has been set for Tuesday at 6 p.m. and a Rosary by the Daughters of Isabella will follow at 8 p.m. at the MacAlpine Funeral Home, Bad Axe, which is handling funeral arrangements.