

## **Gertrude Clark**

Gertrude Clark, 104, of Bad Axe, passed away on Friday, Dec. 10, 2010 at Huron Medical Center in Bad Axe.

She was born on Dec. 10, 1906 in Sigel Township, daughter of the late Win and Burtle (Martin) Williams.

She married Henry Clark on June 1, 1933 in Lansing. He preceded her in death on Nov. 26, 1972.

She was a graduate of the Detroit Business Institute and was employed in Sault Ste. Marie and at Blach and Guggenheimer in Bad Axe. She became a teacher and taught in several schools in Huron County, retiring from Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port Schools in 1970.

Gertrude is survived by one son, Ronald Clark of Bad Axe; two daughters, Audrey (Roy) Beachy of Elkton and Mary Lou (Jerry) Philippi of Sun City West, Ariz.; one sister, Jean Scott of Harbor Beach; five grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; six great-great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by three sisters, Vera Temple, Frances Kessler and twin sister, Myrtie Townley; one granddaughter, Shelly Scott.

Services will be conducted at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 12, 2010 at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Officiating will be the Rev. Jay Barsaleau, pastor of the Bad Axe First Baptist Church. Burial will be in the Verona Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 1 p.m. until the time of service Sunday, at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe.