

ESTHER HILLMAN

1905 - 1997

Esther Hillman, 91 of Milton, WI, formerly of Pigeon, passed away Friday, Jan. 24 in Milton.

Esther Buchholz was born in Pigeon on Dec. 10, 1905, daughter of the late Fred and Doris (Bergman) Buchholz. She was united in marriage to Ludwig "Louie" Hillman. He preceded her in death on July 3, 1986.

She attended and graduated from Michigan Lutheran Seminary in Saginaw in 1925 and in 1926, continued her education at New Ulm, WI, where she was trained to be a teacher. She taught school for over 40 years in Wisconsin Lutheran Synod Schools in Sebawaing, at New Salem Evangelical Lutheran School and Madison, WI.

Survivors include a brother, Reinhardt (Marie) Buchholz, Pigeon and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by three sisters, Elsa Trost, Hedwig Salmon and Amanda Richmond and four brothers, Walter, Theodore, Arnold and Henry Buchholz.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, Jan. 29 at 2 p.m. from St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, Janesville, WI.

Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to a Wisconsin Synod Lutheran Church or the school of one's choice.

Local information was provided by the Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.