

Gross, Patricia A.

Patricia Ann Gross, 69, of Bad Axe, died Saturday, June 19, 2004, at the Huron County Medical Care Facility in Bad Axe. She was born October 13, 1934 in Bad Axe, daughter of the late Charles and Margaret (McGeachy) Gates. Patricia attended Bad Axe First Presbyterian Church. She graduated from Flint Central High School and Eastern Michigan University. She worked as a social worker at Genesee County Mental Health retiring in 1986. She also worked at Goodwill Industries in Flint and Thumb Industries in Bad Axe. She enjoyed reading and watching movies. Patricia is survived by one daughter, Cheryl Gross, of Flint; two sisters, Amber Leippandt, of Pigeon, Charlene Zessin and her husband, James, of Bay City; two sisters-in-law, Donna Gates, of Cheboygan, Betty Gates, of Davison; one brother-in-law, Carl Harrison, of Indiana; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by two brothers, Russell and John Gates; five sisters, Alma Case, Hazel Gates, Grace Leigh, Katherine "June" Hartjoy, and Margaret "Peg" Harrison. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. on Tuesday, June 22, 2004, at the MacAlpine Funeral Home of Bad Axe. The Rev. Dykshoorn, pastor of Bad Axe First Presbyterian Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Colfax Township Cemetery. Visitation will be from 3 to 8 p.m. today and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be offered to Heartland Hospice or the Huron County Medical Care Facility. Please visit the web tribute for Patricia at www.macalpine.yourtribune.com/PatriciaGross.