

### **Susalla, Stella**

Stella Susalla, 92, of Harbor Beach, passed away Sunday, Aug. 3, 2003, at the long term care unit of the Harbor Beach Community Hospital. Born in Sigel Township on Sept. 6, 1910, she was the daughter of the late Michael and Josephine (Puvalowski) Ulfing. On Nov. 8, 1926, Stella was united in marriage to Henry Susalla in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Parisville. He preceded her in death on Jan. 10, 1999. Stella was a member of the St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Helena and the Altar Society and enjoyed quilting. She is survived by two daughters, Alice Mausolf and her husband, Jerome, of Harbor Beach, and Nancy Messing, of Warren; eight grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; four step-great-great-grandchildren; sister, Genevieve (Chester) Oparka, of Bad Axe; sister-in-law, Helen Ulfing, of Bad Axe. Stella was preceded in death by a sister, Florence Susalla; son-in-law, Melvin Messing; four brothers, Edward, Frank, Walter, and Steve Ulfing. A funeral mass will be at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 6, 2003, in St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Helena with Fr. Andrzej Borocho, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. A parish vigil service will be conducted at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday in the Ramsey Funeral Home in Harbor Beach. Visitation will be from 1 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home and from 10 a.m. until the time of the service on Wednesday at the church.