

CORAL ASSELIN

1917 - 1995

Coral Asselin, 78 of Bay Port, died Sunday evening, May 14 at Four Seasons Health Center, Bad Axe.

She was born March 24, 1917 in DuBois, PA and moved to the Flint area as a child with her parents, the late Walter and Anna (Tapper) Rowland. She was united in marriage to Woodrow Asselin on July 27, 1935 in Grand Blanc.

Mrs. Asselin had been employed at Hamil Mfg. in Inlay City and Almont. She had also worked at Bill Green's Cafe in Inlay City, started and operated the D&W Cafe in Capac and later operated Woody's Party Store at M-24 and M-45, retiring in 1975. That same year they moved to Bay Port.

She was a member of St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon and the Knights of Columbus Auxiliary, Cassville/Pigeon.

Surviving are her husband, Woody; two sons, Walter (Aila) Asselin of Lincoln and Woodrow "Chip" Asselin of Capac; four daughters, Sheila (Maurice) Stine of Capac, Vian (Robert) Stirett of Perry, GA, Dema (John) Chidres of Kingston and Roxanna (Kenneth) Copeland of Meeker, CO; 21 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

A Funeral Mass will be conducted on Wednesday, May 17 at 11 a.m. at St. Francis Borgia Catholic Church, Pigeon. Rev. Fr. Barney Janiwicz, pastor, will officiate with burial in the Capac Cemetery.

A Parish Scripture Service will be conducted on Tuesday, May 16 at the Champagne Funeral Chapel, Elkton, where friends may call on Tuesday from 2 to 9 p.m.