Boyle, Helen C.

Helen Boyle, 89, of Port Austin, died Friday, June 30, 2006, at the Huron County Medical Care Facility in Bad Axe.   She was born August 5, 1916 in Yale, daughter of the late John and Frances (Alpin) McAllen. She married William J. Boyle in 1938, and he preceded her in death in 1972.   Helen is survived by seven children, William (Elizabeth) Boyle, of Port Austin, John (Irene) Boyle, of Redford, Michael (Connie) Boyle, of Florence, South Carolina, Terrence (Lori) Boyle, of Troy, Patricia (Thomas) Wendt, of Okemos, Elizabeth (Kenneth) Mullen, of West Bloomfield, and Brian (Roberta) Boyle, of West Bloomfield; 32 grandchildren; and 48 great-grandchildren.   She was preceded in death by an infant son, Joseph; two brothers, Thomas and James McAllen; and one sister, Patricia Lyons McSweeny.   Helen moved to Port Austin after her husband's death in 1972. She was an Irish Catholic Democrat and devout mother. She worked as a secretary at the University of Detroit High School and at the University of Detroit. She was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Port Austin and of the Caseville Retirement Club.   The family would like to thank the staff at the Huron County Medical Care Facility for their kindness and the excellent care they provided.   A Funeral Mass will be at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, July 5, 2006, at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Port Austin. Officiating will be Rev. Robert Pare, pastor. Burial will follow Thursday at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield.   Visitation will be from 9 to 11 a.m. on Wednesday at the church.