

Greathouse, Joyce

Joyce L. Greathouse, 67, passed away Tuesday morning, Aug. 6, 2002, at Bay Shores Nursing Care Center. She was born March 2, 1935, in Ugly to the late Ralph and Elsie (Petzhold) Brown. She married Robert J. Greathouse May 29, 1954, in Mt. Clemens. Joyce was a member of Essexville Community Baptist Church. She was a cook with the Essexville-Hampton Public Schools. She was a member of the F.O.E. Ladies Auxiliary Arie No. 1010 and was also a volunteer at Bay Medical Center and the Essexville Garber concession stands. Joyce is survived by her husband, Robert J. Greathouse; four sons, Daniel Greathouse of Brighton, Derek Greathouse and his wife, Karen, of Dearborn, Darryl Greathouse and his wife, Lynne, of Freeland, and Dennis Greathouse and his wife, Jeanine, of Mt. Clemens; a stepson, Donald Alderman and his wife, Patricia, of Lincoln; eight grandchildren, Brian, Steve, Katrina, Amanda, Tera, Kristin, Debbie, and Sara Greathouse; a great-grandchild, Angelca; six step-grandchildren, Josh, Casey, and Steven Alderman and Jennifer, Joeann and Vincent Mahalak; two step-great-grandchildren, Zachary and Breanna; a brother, Earl Brown and his wife, June, of Sterling Heights; two sisters-in-law, Mildred Rosco of Mt. Clemens and Mary Lucille Coplin and her husband, Jack, of Calif.; two brothers-in-law, David Greathouse of Mt. Clemens and Donald Greathouse of Phoenix, Ariz.; many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her daughter, Denise Greathouse; grandson Joseph Greathouse; and two brothers, Gordon and Clifford Brown. Funeral services will take place at 1 p.m. Monday, Aug. 12, 2002, at the Gephart Funeral Home. The Rev. Ted Marrinan and the Rev. Dave McGarvey will officiate. Private interment will be in Floral Gardens Cemetery. The Eagles Arie No. 1010 Ladies Auxiliary Ritual will be 7 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. Visitation will be 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday, 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday and noon until the time of services Monday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.