Mary Dekoski

(June 16, 1916 - April 13, 2011)

Mrs. Mary Dekoski, 94, of Bad Axe and formerly of Ruth, passed away Wednesday, April 13, 2011 at the Huron Medical Care Facility in Bad Axe.

She was born June 16, 1916 in Ruth to the late Domazy and Cecelia (Borowicz) Wrubel. She married Casimer Z. Dekoski on Aug. 6, 1934 at St. Mary Catholic Church in Parisville. He preceded her in death Jan. 11, 1993.

Mary attended the Grace Country School. She worked with her parents on the farm and then lived with her husband and family on their farm. She was a parishioner at St. Mary Catholic Church in Parisville, where she was a member of the Rosary Sodality. She was a former member of the Sacred Heart Society. She enjoyed cooking, crossword puzzles, quilting and gardening. She truly enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren.

Mary is survived by three daughters, Betty Maurer of Mt. Morris, Phyllis Mazure and her husband, Robert, of Ubly, Ethel Brownstein and her husband, Stanley, of Sterling Heights; three sons, Robert Dekoski and his wife, Deloris, of Mt. Morris, Raymond Dekoski and his special friend, Jean Zulcosky, of Armada, Calvin Dekoski and his wife, Janice, of Ruth; 21 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; one brother, Steven Wrubel and his wife, Vicky, of Holiday, Fla.

She was preceded in death by two grandsons, Jeffrey Mazure and infant, Evan White; four sisters, Bertha Dekoski, Agnes Smaglinski, Lucy Peruski, Frances Kucharczyk; six brothers, Aloise, Andrew, Domazy Jr., Cass, Leo and Basil Wrubel; one son-in-law, Wilfred Maurer; one daughter-in-law, Charlotte Dekoski.

The funeral Mass will be 11 a.m. Monday, April 18, 2011 at St. Mary Catholic Church in Parisville. The Rev. Peter Nwokoye, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Visitation will be from 1-9 p.m. Sunday at the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home in Ubly and from 10-11 a.m. Monday at the church only. There will be a joint rosary at 4 p.m. Sunday by the St. Mary Rosary Sodality and Men's Club and a parish vigil service at 4:30 p.m. Sunday. Both services will be at the funeral home.

Memorials are requested to the family discretionary fund.