

FLORENCE MAE VALENTINE

1908 - 1995

Florence Mae Valentine, 86 of the Akron-Fairgrove Area, died in her sleep early Wednesday morning, Feb. 8, after being stricken with a sudden illness.

She was born Florence Mae Craft in Ogemaw County on June 22, 1908, the daughter of Albert and Floro (Lavack) Craft.

She was married to Forrest Valentine in 1934 and he predeceased her in 1953. Mrs. Valentine was a homemaker, an active member in Akron Church of Christ and active in the Akron-Fairgrove community.

Surviving are one son, Tommy Forrest Valentine, and his wife, Sandra, of Akron, three daughters and their spouses, Geraldine (Tye) Borter of Mackinaw City, Reva (Richard) Samson and Mary Ann (James) Fox, all of Akron, 13 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren, one brother, Vernon Craft of Wickenburg, AZ, and one sister, Betty Rogers of Alpena.

She was predeceased by an infant son, Leo, one brother, Cecil, and one sister, Vera.

A memorial service was held at 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 11, in Akron Church of Christ, with Richard Miller officiating. Briggs-Tranerry Funeral Home of Akron was in charge of arrangements.

Those wishing to offer memorials are asked to consider Akron Church of Christ.