## GERTRUDE F. STING 1905 - 1994

Gertrude F. Sting, 89 of Sebewaing, passed away Thursday, Sept. 15 at The

Lutheran Home in Frankenmuth, following an illness of six years.

She was born Feb. 14, 1905 in Sebewaing, daughter of the late John H. and Emma (Schairer) Hofmeister. She married Oscar I. Sting on May 19, 1925 in St. Peter Lutheran Church in Bach. He preceded her in death on June 20, 1987. Mrs. Sting was a lifelong member of St. Peter Lutheran Church in Bach and was a charter member of its Ladies Aid.

Surviving her are one son and daughter-in-law, Robert J. (Nancy) Sting of Prescott; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; one sister, Viola Trinklein of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; one brother and sister-in-law, Carl (Marion) Hotmeister of Gaylord and several nieces and nephews.

Three brothers, Ervin, Paul and Ernest Hofmeister and two sisters, Martha.

Hilpert and Dorothea Hoerner all preceded her in death.

Funeral services took place on Monday, Sept. 19 at 11 a.m. at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebewaing. Rev. Nathan Bickel officiated with burial in the Silverlawn Cometery in Sebewaing.

Those wishing an expression of sympathy are asked to consider St. Peter

Lutheran Church in Bach.