

**Schmidt, Lydia E.**

Lydia E. Schmidt, 88, of Port Huron and formerly of Port Hope, passed away Wednesday, December 8, 2004, in Marwood Nursing and Rehab Center after a lengthy illness. Born in Port Hope on August 2, 1916, she was the daughter of the late Fred and Emma (Liedke) Engel. Lydia was united in marriage to Erwin Ender in August 28, 1937 in Port Hope. He preceded her in death on February 26, 1973. On June 22, 1974, she was united in marriage to Henry Schmidt and he preceded her in death on August 22, 1994. Lydia was a member of St. John Lutheran Church in Port Hope. She is survived by her daughter, Marjorie Landschoot and her husband, Richard, of Port Huron; grandchildren, Stacey DeVeny and her husband, Kenneth, of Goodells, Penny Walters and her husband, John, of Smith Creek, and Gregory Lanschoot and Cherie DeLong, of St. Clair; great-grandchildren, Kenneth R. DeVeny and Courtney DeVeny; two sisters, Bertha Leese and Esther Leese; and brother-in-law, Lester Ender and his wife, Arline, of Port Hope. Lydia was preceded in death by two brothers, Walter and Robert Engel; and four sisters, Martha Moeller, Ida Shultz, Anne Gentner and Helen Steinbis. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, December 11, 2004, in St. John Lutheran Church, Port Hope, with the Rev. Gregory Eilers, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the Lakeview Cemetery, Port Hope. A scripture service will be at 7:30 p.m. on Friday at the Ramsey Funeral Home, Harbor Beach. Visitation will be from 2 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. on Friday at the funeral home and from 10 a.m. until the time of services on Saturday at the church.