

Mattice, Hazel B.

Hazel B. Mattice, 90, passed away Tuesday, March 31, 2009 at Courtney Manor Nursing Home in Bad Axe.

She was born Oct. 12, 1918 in Owendale, to the late Fred and Mary (Wallace) McAlpine. Miss Hazel McAlpine and George Mattice were united in marriage Aug. 12, 1936 in Fillion. He preceded her in death on Feb. 8, 1967.

She was a member of the Uibly United Methodist Church. Hazel was a homemaker all of her adult life. She loved playing bingo, going to garage sales and was known to walk several miles a day with her dog at her side.

Hazel is survived by one son, Albert (Elsie) Mattice of Caro; two daughters, Norma (Larry) Timm of Bad Axe and Shelby (LaVern) Warchock of Kalkaska; six grandchildren, George (Sonia) Warchock, Cheri (Dan) Bootz, Janet (Rick) Root, Tammy Warchock, Rhonda (Steve) Snow and Ethel (Floyd) Morris; 15 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Linda (Timm) Haire; two step-sons, Robert Mattice and Basil Colley.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, April 2, 2009 at the MacAlpine Funeral Home, Bad Axe, with the Rev. Ellen Burns, pastor of Uibly United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Verona Cemetery at a later date.

Visitation will be from 3 to 9 p.m. today and 10 a.m. until the time of service Thursday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be offered to the Family Discretionary Fund or the Donor's Choice.