## Kaufman, Ruth

Ruth Kaufman, 95, of Ruth, died Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2007 at the Sunny Acres Nursing Center in Bad Axe following an extended illness.

Ruth was born on Oct. 10, 1912 in Ruth, daughter of the late Charles and Henrietta (Schilke) Kirsch.

On Nov. 27, 1935, Ruth and Walter Kaufman were united in marriage. He preceded her in death on July 3, 1992.

Ruth was an employee of the Korner Store in Ruth for 30 years. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Harbor Beach and a member of the former Immanuel Lutheran Church near Ruth where she was the organist for many years. Ruth enjoyed gardening and helping her husband work on the farm near Ruth.

She is survived by nieces and nephews, Lee Warschefsky and his wife, Joyce, of Bad Axe, Marion Nelson of Port Huron, Earl Etzel and his wife, Shirley, of Skidway Lake, Ed Brecht and his wife, Judy, of Fraser, and Pauline Kaufman of California.

Ruth was preceded in death by her siblings, Walter Kirsch, Selma Kirsch, Minnie Richards, Carl Kirsch, Sophia Waller, Ella Brecht, Martha Kirsch, Arthur Kirsch and William Kirsch.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 27, 2007 at Zion Lutheran Church in Harbor Beach with Rev. Gregory Eilers officiating.

Visitation will be from 9:30 a.m. until the time of service Saturday at the church. Arrangements are being handled by the Ramsey Funeral Home in Harbor Beach.

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