

# VIOLET ISABELLE MUSSELMAN

## 1910 - 1996

Violet Isabelle Musselman, 85 of Bad Axe, passed away Saturday, Sept. 7 at Four Seasons Health Care Center, Bad Axe, following a long illness.

She was born Dec. 1, 1910 in Chandler Twp., daughter of the late Andrew and Mary (Carysle) Stimett. She was united to Norman Musselman in 1927 in Lake Twp. He preceded his wife in death on June 18, 1985.

Mrs. Musselmann attended Chandler Rural Country School, was employed at the Stinson Farm Elevator in Pinnebog, Bella Vista Motel and the Franklin Inn and the former Lerash Market in Bad Axe. She enjoyed visiting family and friends, dancing, walking, parades and attending fiddler jamborees.

She is survived by three daughters, Marie (Wallace) Sageman and Donna Mae Hanson, both of Bad Axe and Barbara Ann (Eugene) Cieslinski of Pigeon; one son, Andrew Musselman of Port Austin; 21 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

The last of 10 children, Mrs. Musselman is predeceased by six grandchildren, Stanley and Norman Musselman, Gary and Kenneth Sageman, Joseph and Richard Hanson; five sisters, Valma Stewart, Mabel Soper, Mary Yax, Annie Eisinger, Etta Garrow; four brothers, John, Alex, Earl and Chester Stimett.

Funeral services will be Tuesday, Sept. 10 at 11 a.m. from the MacAlpine Funeral Home, Bad Axe. Rev. Jan Gerard Dykshoorn, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Bad Axe, will officiate with burial in Collax Cemetery. Visitation continues at the funeral home on Tuesday from 10 a.m. until the time of service.

Memorials may be offered to the Michigan Heart Association or in the form of Family Choice.