

Schaper, Betty A.

Betty Ann Schaper age 85 of Linkville, passed away July 9, 2010 at her home while under hospice care.

Betty was born on January 2, 1925 in Saginaw and was the daughter of the late Joseph and Ina Ronan.

On August 31, 1946, she married William Schaper, who preceded her in death in 1977.

She then moved to the family farm where she raised her eight children.

There was never a dull day at the Schaper household, with all the cooking, cleaning, baking, etc. Having all eight kids under foot left little extra time to do hoeing in the fields. Betty loved her dog Penny.

Betty is survived by her eight children: Debra Englehart and her husband Doug of Cass City, Diane Wildman and her husband Jerry of Sebewaing, Mary Ellen of Minnesota, Margie Weisenbach and her husband Harold of Sebewaing, Janet and Bill of Linkville, Sandy Samczyk and her husband Tim of Caseville, and Les Schaper and his wife Tracy of Caseville; 10 grandchildren: Ralph, Jamie, Angie, Jason, Shawn, Lisa, Scott, Greg, Megan and Mitchell; three great grandchildren, Isabella, Ayden and Ryan; brother Joe Ronan and his wife Judy of Ohio; sister-in-law Edna Schaper of Owendale; and brother-in-law Al Schaper of Saginaw.

She was preceded in death by an infant son; a sister Marie; brother-in-law Marvin Schaper; and sister-in-law Denise Schaper.

Funeral Services will be Monday, July 12, 2010 at 11 am in St. Paul Lutheran Church, Linkville, with Rev. Lee Wenskay, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in Grandlawn Cemetery.

Visitation at the Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon:

Sunday, July 11, 2010 from 3-9pm

at St Paul Lutheran Church, Linkville:

Monday, July 12, 2010 beginning at 10 am until time of services at 11.

A scripture service will take place Sunday at 7 pm in the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be given to United Hospice, Parkinson Disease Foundation or the St. Paul Building Fund.

