

**King, Betty**

Betty M. King, 80, of Bad Axe, passed away on Monday, February 23, 2004, at McLaren Hospital in Flint. She was born on February 20, 1924 in Verona, daughter of the late Samuel and Mabel Burke. She married James E. King. He preceded her in death on April 23, 1987. Mrs. King was a member of the Bad Axe First Presbyterian Church where she was a longtime treasurer, a member of the Finance Committee and a member of the Leah Circle. She was also a member of the Order of Eastern Star, Cass City Lodge. Surviving are two sons, David King and his wife, Sharon, of Hemlock, Bruce King, of Bad Axe; five grandchildren, Brian King and his wife, Alissa, of Bad Axe, Jason King, of Hemlock, Patrick King, of Bad Axe, Craig King, of Hemlock, and Stephen King, of Bad Axe. She was preceded in death by one brother, George I. Burke; and one sister, Mildred "Millie" Schumacher. Services will be conducted on Friday, February 27, 2004, at 11 a.m. at the Bad Axe First Presbyterian Church. Officiating will be the Rev. Jan. G. Dykshoorn, pastor. Burial will be in Colfax Cemetery. Visitation will be from 2 to 9 p.m. on Thursday at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe and from 10 a.m. until the service time at 11 a.m. on Friday at the church. Memorials may be offered to the Bad Axe First Presbyterian Church or St. Peters Lutheran Church in Hemlock toward the building fund or bell choir.