

Pobanz, Jane P.

Jane P. Pobanz, 96, of Sebewaing died Wednesday, Nov. 4, 2009 at the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility in Caro following a lengthy illness.

She was born on Feb. 6, 1913 in Saginaw, daughter of the late Fred and Pauline (Mitin) Shapow. She was united in marriage to Elmer F. Pobanz on Oct. 4, 1931 at Immanuel Lutheran Church. He preceded her in death in 1981.

Jane had been employed at the former Zemke Store in Sebewaing and later for the Caro State Hospital until she retired in 1979.

She was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Sebewaing, the Unionville-Sebewaing Area Senior Citizen Bowling League. She was an avid quilter and loved rose gardening and her grandchildren.

Surviving are one daughter, Janet (Stanley) Gettel of Sebewaing; four grandchildren, Joy (Paul) Schulz of Sebewaing, Ronna (Jerry) Wilhelm of Swartz Creek, Neal (Sandy) Gettel, Tom (Amy) Gettel, all of Sebewaing; seven great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one brother and sister-in-law, Nicholas and Ann Shapow.

Funeral service will take place at 2 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 6, 2009 at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home in Sebewaing. The Rev. Michael Boyer will officiate with burial in the Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3 to 8 p.m. today, and from noon until the time of service at 2 p.m. on Friday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Foundation or Immanuel Lutheran Church.