

Gertrude M. Clabuesch 1919-2008

Gertrude M. Clabuesch, age 88 of Sand Point, passed away Wednesday, April 9 at the Huron Medical Care Facility, Bad Axe.

Born in Sebewaing on August 22, 1919, she was the daughter of the late Henry and Marie (Illner) Roemer, and attended Owendale High School. On November 30, 1947, she was united in marriage to Wendolin "Doc" Clabuesch in Detroit.

Gertrude worked with Doc as a Realtor for Scenic Realty. She was an excellent homemaker, a great cook, and enjoyed sewing. In the past, she had served as a 4-H leader. She also enjoyed golfing and was a member at Scenic Golf & Country Club in Pigeon. She was a member of Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon.

In addition to Wendolin "Doc" Clabuesch, her husband of more than 60 years, she is survived by two children, Mary (Clare) Tigchelaar of Grand Rapids and Henry Clabuesch of Sand Point; two grandchildren, Katie Harger and Jonathan Clabuesch; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by sisters, Herta Shope and Emma Pake, and brothers, Ernest, Herman, Paul, Frits, Henry, and Ervin.

The Funeral Service will be conducted at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 13 at Cross Lutheran Church, Pigeon, with Rev. Timothy Loehrke, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Cross Lutheran School or the donor's charity of choice.