Caralea Cathryn Reed 1927 – 1996

Caralea Cathryn Reed, age 69 of Bay Port, died Wednesday, March 27 at Osceola Regional Hospital, Kissimmee, Florida.

Caralea Cathryn Deering was born on March 24, 1927 in Winsor Township, daughter of the late Henry E. and Hilda V. (Harder) Deering. On February 11, 1950 she was united in marriage to Orville Reed at the Bay Port Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. He survives her.

Before her retirement, she was employed by Peoples Oil & Gas Company and the Michigan Directory Company, both of Pigeon.

Mrs. Reed was a member of the Bay Port Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, and its Womens Department. She was a talented and accomplished artist, whose greatest joy was her grandchildren.

Her survivors include her husband Orville; a daughter and sonin-law. Kari L. & Roy E. Langley, Pigeon; a son and daughter-inlaw, Ted & Dana Reed, Kissimmee, Florida; three grandchildren. Kara, Kevin, and Angela; two sisters, Rhea Dutcher Walden, Bay Port and Louann (Albie) Hults, Murphy, North Carolina; a sister-inlaw, May Deering, Pigeon; three aunts, Carrie Bartlet, Margaret Faltyn, and Doris Albrecht; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a brother, DeLyle and a sister, Ramona.

Cremation has taken place in Florida. A memorial service will be conducted on Wednesday, April 3 at 2:00 P.M. from Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon.

Private interment will take place at the New Bay Port Cemetery, Fair Haven Township.

Memorials may be made to the Huron Medical Care Facility, Bad