Koenig, Rose

Rose M. Koenig, 89, of Caseville died on Sunday evening, June 9, 2002, at her daughter's home while under hospice care. She was born on July 19, 1912, in Detroit to the late Mietz and Rose Mary (Macholl) Greca. After high school, she became a registered nurse at St. Joseph Hospital in Ann Arbor. She was united in marriage to Paul Koenig on Nov. 2, 1940, in Detroit. After raising four children, she went back to work at Mount Carmel Hospital in Detroit. Her husband, Paul died in July 1973 and she retired in 1974. That same year, she moved to the Oak Beach area where she lived until 1995. She lived at Oakwood Senior Apartments until her health began failing rapidly. Rose was a very active member of St. Roch Catholic Church and Altar Society and a member of the Caseville Retirement Club. She is survived by two sons, Robert Koenig and his wife, Elaine, of Washington and Karl Koenig and his wife, Judy, of Walled Lake; two daughters, Patti Koenig of Pontiac and Mary Musich and her husband, Michael, of Midland; eight grandchildren, Jeff, Kim, Bev, Janine, Curt, Beth, Dave and John; seven great-grandchildren; brother, Richard Greca and his wife, Dorothy, of Carleton; sister, Anne Jaworski and her husband, Erv, of Port Austin. A memorial mass will take place at 11 a.m. on Thursday, June 13, 2002, at St. Roch Catholic Church in Caseville. The Rev. Fr. Kenneth Yaroch, pastor will officiate with burial in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield. Visitation will be after 10 a.m. Thursday at the church. Memorials may be given to the Caseville Food Pantry or the St. Roch building fund. Words of condolence or tribute may be sent to www.champagnefuneralchapel.com.