

### **Luedtke, Alice**

Alice L. Luedtke, 79, of Pigeon passed away Friday, Oct. 19, 2001, at St. Mary's Medical Center in Saginaw. Mrs. Luedtke was born in McKinley Township on July 12, 1922, the daughter of Floyd and Achsah (Gwinn) Richmond. She attended Mud Creek grade school and was a graduate of Pigeon High School in 1940. On April 7, 1945, she was united in marriage to Arthur M. "Bud" Luedtke in Long Beach, Calif. He was a member of the Navy Air Corps at the time. Mrs. Luedtke was a homemaker throughout her lifetime. She was a member of the St. John's Lutheran Church, Berne, the St. John's Women's Society, Townliner's Extension Group, the Pigeon District Library Quilt Guild, and a former member of the Scheurer Hospital Auxiliary. She is survived by her husband, Arthur "Bud", to whom she had been married for more than 56 years; two daughters, Carol Buzzitta of Lansing and Janet Luedtke of Bloomfield Hills; a son, Alan and his wife, Shelia, of Millington; six grandchildren: Mark and Amy Buzzitta, and Kyle, Brandon, Kristen, and Chelsea Luedtke; a sister, Ann Marie Clabuesch of Pigeon; a sister-in-law, Marguerite Luedtke of Pigeon; a brother-in-law, Donald Dast of Pigeon; and nieces, nephews and cousins. The funeral service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Monday, Oct. 22, 2001, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Berne, with the Rev. James A. Gorseger, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. today at Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, a Golden Rule funeral home, in Pigeon, and from 10 a.m. until the time of services on Monday at the church. Memorials may be made to St. John's Lutheran School or St. John's Lutheran choir.