

### **Kleinschmidt, Marjorie**

Marjorie V. Kleinschmidt, 101, of Pigeon, formerly of Plymouth, passed away Saturday evening, Dec. 7, 2002, at the Scheurer Hospital Long Term Care Unit in Pigeon after a long illness. She was born on March 27, 1901 in Northville Township, daughter of the late William Frank and Hattie Louise (Taylor) Taylor. On July 28, 1917, she was united in marriage to Walter G. Kleinschmidt in Northville Township. They made their home in Plymouth for more than 50 years, moving to Freeland in 1968. After the death of her husband in 1971, Mrs. Kleinschmidt moved to Pigeon. She was a member of the St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Berne. Her many interests included gardening, reading, needlework, music, and playing the piano daily, but her special enjoyment came from her family. She is survived by a daughter, Marian Dast and her husband, Richard, of Pigeon; 10 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; eight great-great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by two sons, Kenneth and Marvin Kleinschmidt; two daughters-in-law, Naomi and Lois Kleinschmidt; a brother, Claude Taylor; granddaughter, Jaye Hignite. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 10, 2002, at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Berne with the Rev. James A. Gorseger, Pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth. Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight at Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, a Golden Rule Funeral Home in Pigeon, and from 10 a.m. until the time of service at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Berne. Memorial contributions may be made to Scheurer Hospital Long Term Care Unit or St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church.