

Hanby, Lillian F.

Lillian Fern Hanby, 94, of Cass City, died Monday, May 21, 2007, in Tuscola County Medical Care Facility, Caro. She was born June 9, 1912 in Turner, Michigan to Ralph and Edith (Moore) Ward. She married Ralph D. "R.D." Hanby on July 3, 1933 in Angola, Indiana. He died February 11, 1981. Lillian graduated from Cass City High School in 1931. She worked for Stevens Nursing Home for 25 years and then Caro Medical Care Facility, from where she retired. Lillian was a member of Hills & Dales General Hospital Auxiliary, Cass City Retired People, and Cass City First Baptist Church. She loved to read and refinish furniture. The home Lillian lived in has been in her family since 1921. Lillian is survived by her children, Donald (Barbara) Hanby, of Cass City, Richard J. (Karen) Hanby, of Grand Haven, and Mary Louise (Larry) Anners, of Sequim, Washington; grandchildren, Sharon (Robert) Todd, James (Rita) Hanby, Jeff (Michelle) Hanby, Lori (Randy) Patera, Greg (Kristi) Hanby, Kristyn (Dave) Ireland, and Sheryl (Jason) Wille; great grandchildren, Shannon, Wesley, and Mary Beth Todd, Eric, Kurt, Bradley, Kyle, Caleb, Jacob, Kendal, Ian and Reese Hanby, Rachel and Joel Patera, Kaylee and Alexis Ireland, and Max Wille; several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her brother, Fred Ward. A funeral service will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Friday, May 25, 2007, in Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City, with Pastor David G. Hill officiating. Interment will be in Elkland Township Cemetery. Visitation will be from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. on Thursday and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Friday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Cass City First Baptist Church or Tuscola County Medical Care Facility. Family and friends may share memories, prayers, and stories with the family at www.kranzfuneralhome.com.