

Wagner, Geraldine A.

Geraldine Ann Wagner, 87, of Port Hope, beloved mother and grandmother passed away Saturday, March 21, 2009 at Harbor Beach Community Hospital.

She was born on Aug. 17, 1921 in Detroit to the late Frank and Bernadette (Flemming) Gallagher. Gerry and Jess were united in marriage in 1942 in Detroit. He preceded her in death on Feb. 14, 1971.

Gerry loved watching John Wayne movies and was an avid reader of novels. She was a mom to many young adults that worked on her dairy farm.

She is survived by her children, Daniel and William Wagner, Della Pareizs and her husband, Harry, Florence Wagner Burke; her grandchildren, Daniel Wagner, Jr. Jenelle and Danielle Wagner, John (Laura) Daniel Pareizs, and Maija (Nick) George, and Janice Burke; great-grandchildren, Zachary, Erica, Trisha, and Elise Pareizs, Ethan Wagner, Jenna Hashim, and Kelsie Marie George; and her brother, John (Mary) Gallagher.

Gerry was preceded in death by her husband, Jess; son Jess Jr.; brothers, Frank and Robert Gallagher; and sisters, Bernadette and Geraldine.

Cremation has taken place at Sunset Valley Crematory in Bay City. Arrangements are being handled by the Ramsey Funeral Home of Harbor Beach. Gerry said her 80th birthday party was the highlight of her life, when over 100 friends and family came to honor her. She will be greatly missed by all.

A family memorial service will be conducted at a later time.