

Zick, Betty

Betty Zick, 62, of Elkton passed away Saturday, Jan. 19, 2002, at her home under hospice care following an extended illness. She was born on May 26, 1939, in Bloomfield Township, daughter of the late Harold and Helen (Bucholtz) Smith. She married Alfred Zick on Jan. 11, 1958, in the parsonage of St. John's Lutheran Church in Port Hope. Mrs. Zick was formerly employed at the Port Hope Vial Factory, Kritzman's Clothing Store in Bad Axe, and Winder's Products in Port Austin. She was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bad Axe. She enjoyed home decorating, various crafts, fishing and riding motorcycles. She is survived by her husband, Alfred Zick of Elkton; one son, Richard Zick of Anderson, Ind.; two daughters, Sandra Umphrey and her husband, Steven, of Saginaw and Deborah Janik and her husband, Joseph, of Bay City; a brother, Gerald Smith of Bad Axe; five grandchildren, Sara and Shannon Umphrey of Saginaw, and Jessica, Cassondra and Andrew Janik of Bay City; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her stepfather, Edwin Chaplinski; and three brothers, Frederick, Wallace and Harold Smith. Funeral services will take place at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 23, 2002, at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bad Axe. The Rev. Kenneth Lueke, pastor will officiate. Burial will be in Forest Bay Cemetery in Rubicon Township. Visitation will be 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe, and 10 to 11 a.m. Wednesday at the church. Memorials may be made to the Bell Tower Fund at Our Savior Lutheran Church or to the Huron Memorial Hospice Volunteer Program.