

Jacobs, Irma R. K.

Irma R. Jacobs, 85, of Decker died Wednesday, June 4, 2008, in Tuscola County Medical Care Facility, Caro, Mich.

She was born July 4, 1922, in Petoskey to Ernest and Mary (Flannigan) Gibson.

She married Floyd Kennedy on Nov. 1, 1941. He died Nov. 14, 1972. She later married Kendall Jacobs April 9, 1977.

Irma was a very loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She taught Sunday School for more than 20 years. Irma managed Evert's Hallmark Store in Caro for many years. She enjoyed reading, playing piano, watching the birds by her pond and she liked to sew. She loved people. The greatest joy for Irma on this earth was her family.

Irma is survived by her husband, Kendall; daughters, Carol (Robert) Parrott of Decker, Betty (Roy) Powell of Cass City; granddaughters, Debbie (Alan) Reames, Robyn (Mark) Murdoch, Cindy (Anthony) Moran, Beth (Scott) Marshall; great-grandchildren, Melissa Reames, Daniel Reames, Braden Murdoch, Jesse Moran, Derek Moran, Tayler Marshall, Amanda Marshall, and eighth great-grandchild is due anytime; step-children, Hayden (Debbie) Jacobs, Carolyn Caverson, Grant (Linda) Jacobs; step-granddaughter, Michelle Jacobs; and several special nieces and nephews.

Irma was preceded in death by her sisters, Naomi Lindsay and Emma Nichols; and great-granddaughter, Holly Marshall.

Funeral service conducted at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 7, 2008, in Kranz Funeral Home, Cass City with Wendy Orzel, Home and Hospice Advantage Chaplain officiating. Interment will be in Elkland Township Cemetery. Pallbearers for Mrs. Jacobs are Dallas Nichols, Doug Nichols, Phil Nichols, Alan Reames, Daniel Reames, Mark Murdoch, Scott Marshall, and John Agar.

Visitation will be from 2 to 9 p.m. on Friday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Home and Hospice Advantage or Bay Shore Camp. Family and friends may share memories, prayers, and stories with the family at www.kranzfuneralhome.com.