

Howard, Margaret E.

Margaret E. Howard, 91, of Sebewaing, died Saturday, March 10, 2007, at Heartland Health Care Center-Hampton in Bay City following a two-month illness. She was born March 8, 1916 in Honeywell, Kentucky, daughter of the late Wirt and Susan Bell (Caudle) Crum. She was married to Willard G. Jackson on August 5, 1933 in Kentucky. They moved to Sebewaing May 27, 1950. He preceded her in death on October 4, 1960. She then married Elmer Howard on August 22, 1981 in Bay Port. He died July 17, 1983. Margaret had been a cook in various restaurants in the area for many years before retiring in 1981. She was a member of the Faith Bible Baptist Church in Bay Port, also the Missionary League. She enjoyed quilting, gardening and tending to her flowers. Surviving are three sons, three daughters and their spouses, Garrett (Myrtle) Jackson, of Sebewaing, Raymond H. Jackson, of Hermitage, Tennessee, Willard Jackson, of Essexville, Gail (Frank) Burgett, of Sebewaing, Louise (Robert) Harris, of Bad Axe, Mildred (Carl) Reinke, of Bay City; 32 grandchildren; 59 great grandchildren; seven great great grandchildren; one sister, Lucy Dehart, of Flatwoods, Kentucky; sister-in-law, Beatrice Crum, of Argillite, Kentucky; many nieces and nephews; one stepson, David (Sandy) Howard, of Old Town, Kentucky; and stepdaughter, Joyce (Douglas) Felty, of Hopewell, Kentucky. She was preceded in death by infant daughter, Thelma; infant son, Grant; sons, Dale Jackson, in 1970, and Garhald, in 2005; two sisters, Gladys Traylor and Mary Martin; and six brothers, Arthur, James, Ray, Albert, Hubert, and Bill Crum. The funeral service will take place at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, March 14, 2007, at the Faith Bible Baptist Church, Bay Port. The Rev. Philip A. Parkin will officiate with burial in Silverlawn Cemetery in Sebewaing. Visitation will be from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday at the Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home in Sebewaing. She will lie in state from 10 a.m. until the time of the service on Wednesday at the church. Memorials may be made to Faith Bible Baptist Church.