

Laming, Geraldine

Geraldine Laming, 83, of Cass City died Saturday, July 27, 2002, in her home at Northwood Meadows in Cass City. She was born Sept. 8, 1918, in Sanilac County to Hiram and Pearl (Allan) Sweet. She married Frank A. Laming on April 6, 1935, in Port Huron. He died Jan. 15, 1999. Geraldine helped her husband on the farm and did all that a farmer's wife needs to do. She was a member of Greenleaf Extension and card club. Geraldine was also a member of Hills and Dales Hospital Auxiliary and the Argyle United Methodist Church. She enjoyed sewing and gardening, especially flower gardening. Geraldine is survived by her daughter, Janice J. Chippi and her husband, Duane, of Cass City; granddaughter, Debbie Leitch and her husband, Jerry, of Bad Axe; grandson, Bill Chippi and special friend, Patsy Bulla, of Cass City; great-grandchildren, Eric Chippi, Nicholas Chippi, and Amiee Hodge; sisters, Belva Smith, Gertrude English and her husband, Warren, Aileen Matter, and Connie Krueger; many nieces and nephews; longtime friend, Frances Lapeer. She was preceded in death by brothers Allan Sweet, Jack Sweet, and Leroy Sweet; and sister Marion Graves. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday, July 30, 2002, at Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City with the Rev. George Ward of Cass City United Methodist Church officiating. Interment is in Elkland Township Cemetery. Pallbearers for Mrs. Laming include Duane Chippi, Bill Chippi, Jerry Leitch, Eric Chippi, Nicholas Chippi, and John Bulla. Visitation will be from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. today and from 12 to 1 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to United Hospice of Marlette, Northwood Meadows, or the charity of the donor's choice.