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Verneta A. Kuhl, 76 of Pigeon, formerly of Bay Port, died Monday evening, April 7 at the home of her daughter, Karen Baur following a five-year illness.

She was born May 6, 1920 in Bay Port, daughter of the late Edward and Pearl (Notter) Diefenbach. She was united in marriage with Bernhard W. Kuhl Feb. 18, 1940 in Fair Haven Twp. He preceded her in death June 3, 1993. She was a member of Kilmanagh United Methodist Church.

Surviving are three daughters, one son and spouses, Karen and Robert Baur, Pigeon, Charlotte Trost, Lansing, IL; Marsha and Bruce Waggoner, Southfield, VA; Larry and Sandra Kuhl, Sebawaing; 11 grandchildren, 9 great-grandchildren; also two sisters, Jessie Schweitzer and Evelyn VanDeVoort, both of Bay Port; two brothers and spouses, Howard and Thelma Diefenbach, Lamonta and Norma Diefenbach, all of Saginaw; a sister-in-law, Lavonne Diefenbach, Woodbridge, VA, and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by twin sons, Leland and Leon Kuhl, two brothers, Kenneth and Willard Diefenbach and one great-grandson, Erik Osentoski.

Funeral service took place 11 a.m. Friday, April 11 at Kilmanagh United Methodist Church. Rev. Ronald Piette officiated with burial in New Bay Port Cemetery. Dinkel-Juengel Funeral Home, Sebawaing, was in charge of arrangements.

Those planning an expression of sympathy are asked to consider Bay Shore Camp.