Helen Jean Arnott

Helen Jean Arnott, 89, of Kinde, passed away Sunday, Oct. 10, 2010.

She was born March 30, 1921 in Port Austin, to the late Andrew and Nellie (Dempsey) Englehart. Helen Englehart was united in marriage to Leslie Arnott on Nov. 22, 1942.

She was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Kinde. Helen enjoyed going to the casinos, gardening and still was mowing her own lawn when in her 80's.

She is survived by a daughter, Cindy (Richard) Bergquist of Kinde; a step-daughter, Beverly McFarland of Bay City; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren; one son-in-law, Herman Donovan; and a daughter-in-law, Marlene Arnott.

Helen was preceded in death by her husband, Leslie; a daughter, Karen Donovan; a son, Richard Arnott; a step-son, Leslie Arnott, Jr.; and son-in-law, Earl McFarland.

A memorial service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 16, 2010 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Kinde, with the Rev. David Putz, pastor officiating.

Private burial has taken place in the Port Austin Township Cemetery.

Arrangements are being handled by the MacAlpine Funeral Home in Bad Axe.

Memorials may be offered to the donor's choice.