

Veneta M. Kling

1909 – 1996

Veneta Marie Kling, age 86 of Owendale, passed away Friday, July 26 at Scheurer Hospital in Pigeon.

She was born on July 31, 1909, the daughter of the late Wilbert and Maude (Fournier) McCullough. On September 5, 1929 she was united in marriage to Matthew C. Kling in Bowling Green, Ohio. He preceded her in death on May 2, 1981.

A graduate of Owendale High School, Mrs. Kling worked at Automotive Industries in Owendale until it closed. Throughout her lifetime, she was active as a Troop Leader and Camp Director with Area Girl Scouts, and was an honorary lifetime member of the Girl Scouts of America. She was also an honorary member of the Owendale Women's Club, and a past member of the Owendale-Gagetown Senior Citizens.

Mrs. Kling was a member of the Owendale United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women.

Surviving her are a daughter, Nancy (George) Whaley, Gagetown; a son, Roger (Kathryn) Kling, Owendale; seven grandchildren and their spouses, Shelly, Sue, Denise, Kevin, Kathy, Chris, and Beckie; five step grandchildren and spouses, Ricky, Andy, Michael, Cheryl, and Karen; and 15 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by three sisters, Ivadale, Verena, and Arniece.

Funeral Services will be conducted at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, July 29 from the Owendale United Methodist Church. Rev. Carol M. Fair, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Grant Township Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Owendale United Methodist Church or the Gagetown Girl Scouts.