

Hunt, Ila

Ila Jean Hunt, 67, of Deford died Tuesday, April 3, 2001, in her home after a long illness. She was born on April 10, 1933, in Cass City to Albert and the late Hannah (Gotts) Neiman. She married Harold S. Hunt on April 14, 1951, in Cass City. They would have celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary this month. Ila worked for Walbro retiring after 40 years. She was a member of the Cass City VFW Auxiliary. Ila enjoyed traveling, quilting, sewing, cooking and listening to old country and western music. Ila is survived by her husband, Harold; her three sons, Jerry Hunt and his wife, Carol, of Meeker, Okla., Daniel Hunt of Harrisonburg, Va., and Donald Hunt and his wife, Sandy, of Webberville; one daughter, Mary Lawson of Deford; one daughter-in-law, Martha Hunt of Shawnee, Okla.; 12 grandchildren, Craig Hunt and his wife, Carrie, LaDonna Leadbetter and her husband, Jim, Shannon Hunt, Brent Hunt, Michelle Hunt, Kurt Hunt, Amanda Hunt, Julie Walls, Carrie Lavielle and her husband, Dustin, Bradley Hunt, Erin Hunt, and Derrick Lawson; three great grandchildren, Austin Lavielle, Colton Lavielle, and Christopher Hunt; two brothers, Wilbert Nieman and his wife, June, of Goessel, Kan. and Clayton Nieman and his wife, Donna, of Freeland; one stepfather, Andrew Donnelly; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by an infant son, Larry J. Hunt; one son, Tom Hunt; and her mother, Hannah Donnelly. Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Friday, April 6, 2001, at Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City with Chuck Emmert of Novesta Church of Christ officiating. Interment is in Elkland Township Cemetery. Visitation will be from 2 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Huron Memorial Hospice or St. Jude's Children's Hospital.