

MARY E. THOMAS

1912 - 1996

Mary Elizabeth Thomas, 83 of Cass City, formerly of Owendale, died suddenly Monday, Feb. 5 in her home.

She was born May 5, 1912 in Oliver Township, the daughter of John and Grace (Smith) Morley. She married Arthur Stanley Thomas July 26, 1930 in Bad Axe. They lived on the farm in Owendale for 47 years before moving into Cass City several years ago. Mr. Thomas died July 21, 1988.

Mrs. Thomas is a former member of the Owen-Gage Senior Citizens and the Order of the Eastern Star. She enjoyed gardening, flowers, crocheting and sewing. She enjoyed playing cards with her friends. She loved people and loved to cook. NO one ever went away from her home hungry.

She is survived by her children, Glenn (Mary) Thomas of Flushing, Kenneth (Janet) Thomas of Owendale, Gordon (Emma) Thomas of Owosso, Sedia (Vernon) Kassaman of Pigeon, and Joyce (Terry) King of Cass City; 15 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; sisters-in-law Eva Thomas and Lois Morley; special friend, Ray English; several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by an infant daughter, Ethel, and two brothers, Wesley and Norman Morley.

Funeral services were held Feb. 8 at Little & Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City, with Rev. Matthew Arneson of Chandler Presbyterian Church officiating. Interment will take place in the spring in Grant Township Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were handled by Little & Kranz Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.