

Spelman, Mary

"Betty" Mary Elizabeth Spelman, 85, of Ubly, passed away Thursday, April 10, 2003, at Courtney Manor of Bad Axe. Betty was born March 13, 1918 in Port Austin to the late Clarence and Josephine (Kohler) McGardle. She married Claude Spelman on Oct. 14, 1950 at the Congregation Church of Battle Creek. Betty graduated from Port Austin High School and then attended business college for two years. She worked for Probate Court in Huron County for 15 years. She moved to Ubly in 1963. She was an insurance saleswoman for Marshall Palach Insurance Company of Ubly for a few years. She bowled in Bad Axe for many years. She enjoyed sewing, crossword puzzles, and traveling. Betty is survived by her husband, Claude, of Ubly; and many nieces and nephews. Betty was preceded in death by her sister, Helen Louise Wutke; and brother, Peter McGardle. Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 12, 2003, at the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home of Ubly. The Rev. Robert A. Srock, pastor of Jeddo United Methodist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Valley Cemetery of Ubly. Visitation will be from 1:30 to 9:30 p.m. tonight and from noon until the service time at 2 p.m. on Saturday at the Zinger-Smigielski Funeral Home of Ubly. Memorials may be to the Alzheimer's Association.