

Weiss, Mary A.

Mary Ann Weiss, 67, prominent Port Hope area farmer, passed away the morning of Sunday, Nov. 16, 2008 at Harbor Beach Community Hospital.

Mary was born in Harbor Beach on Dec. 11, 1940. She was the daughter of the late Walter and Rose (Wodwaska) Goniwicha.

Mary and Leslie Weiss, Sr. were united in marriage on Feb. 27, 1960 at St. John Lutheran Church in Port Hope. Together they farmed with their family near Port Hope for nearly 50 years. She was a member of St. John Lutheran Church in Port Hope and the Port Hope Retirees. She also enjoyed visiting with friends, playing cards, especially euchre and pinochle, working on her farm, and caring for her dairy cows.

Mary is survived by her son, Leslie Weiss, Jr. and his wife Linda of Port Hope; daughter, Susan Dobson and her husband, Scott, of Clarkston, four grandchildren, Steven, Jennifer and Joseph Weiss, and Scott Dobson, Jr.; three sisters, Jeanette and Jackie Goniwicha of Harbor Beach and Rita Frank of Bay Village, Ohio; and brother-in-law, Joseph Calabrese of Pompano Beach, Fla. She was preceded in death by her husband Leslie Weiss, Sr.; infant son, Richard James Weiss; two sisters, Evelyn Calabrese and Isabel Goniwicha; and one brother-in-law, Donald Frank.

Funeral services for Mary will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in the St. John Lutheran Church of Port Hope, with the Rev. Greg Eilers officiating. Burial will follow in Lakeview Cemetery.

Visitation for Mary will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in the Ramsey Funeral Home of Harbor Beach, and from 1 to 5, and 7 to 9 p.m. on Wednesday in the funeral home, and beginning at noon until time of services on Thursday in the church. A scripture service will take place at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the funeral home.