

# CHRISTINE A. FRITZ

## 1911 - 1993

Christine Alberta Tetreau Fritz, 81 of Pigeon, passed away Thursday, April 29 at Scheurer Hospital Long-Term Care Unit, following a long illness.

She was born in Pigeon on Dec. 30, 1911, daughter of the late Hugh and Phoebe (Barr) Smith. In 1931 she was united in marriage to Alger Tetreau in Bad Axe. He preceded her in death on Sept. 3, 1937. On Oct. 22, 1960, she married Arthur Fritz in Bad Axe. He preceded her in death on Dec. 1, 1980.

Mrs. Fritz was a homemaker, and was employed for years at Escher's Cleaners and J&B Plumbing & Heating in Pigeon and at Dr. Gettel's office in Bad Axe. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Pigeon and was a member of the Mary Circle at her church. She was past Worthy Matron of the Eldon Eastern Star, Joptha Chapter #431.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Donald (Dulcia) Wichert, Pigeon; a son, Francis (Virginia) Tetreau, Bad Axe; five grandchildren; several step-grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; several step-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by five brothers, Otto, Clifford, Don, Howard and Rolle and two sisters, Lorraine Danica Votz and Gladys Inecho.

Funeral services were conducted on Saturday, May 1 at 3 p.m. from the First United Methodist Church, Pigeon. Rev. James Schwandt, pastor, officiated with burial in the Collax Township Cemetery. An Eastern Star service was conducted Friday at 8 p.m. at the Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon, which was in charge of funeral arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Scheurer Hospital Long-Term Unit or to First United Methodist Church.