

### **Alvord, Phyllis**

Phyllis (Christenson) Alvord, 91, of Harbor Beach and formerly of Port Huron, went to her eternal resting place on Saturday, January 8, 2005, at the long term care unit of Harbor Beach Community Hospital. Phyllis married Lewis F. Christenson on February 17, 1934 in Port Huron. He preceded her in death on May 22, 1970. She married Joseph Alvord on July 20, 1972 in Ohio. He preceded her in death on March 23, 1992. She was a former employee of the JC Penney and Winkelman stores in Port Huron. She is survived by a daughter, Joyce Schmalz and her husband, Richard, of Harbor Beach; a son, Mark Christenson and his wife, Ann, of Port Huron; grandchildren, Beth Welker and her husband, Alfred, of Harbor Beach, Paul Schmalz and his wife, Theresa, of Valley View, Ohio, Michael Schmaltz and his wife, Sharon, of Harbor Beach, Daniel Schmalz, of Aiken, South Carolina, Amy Moran and her husband, Tom, of Port Huron; great-grandchildren, Jennifer and Andrew Schmalz, of Ohio, Zachary and Gabe Martinez, of Harbor Beach, and Jade and Leah Schmalz, of South Carolina. She is also survived by a sister-in-law, Marie Stapleford, of Port Huron; and a brother-in-law, Wesley Roeser, of Dearborn, and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Perley and Alice Stapleford; brothers, William and Ernest Stapleford; and sister, Dorothy Roeser. Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, January 11, 2005, in the Ramsey Funeral Home, Harbor Beach, with burial in the Lakeside Cemetery, Port Huron, on Wednesday. Visitation will be from 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. until the time of services on Tuesday at the funeral home.