

Kabban, Helaneh

Helaneh E. Kabban, 67, of Harbor Beach passed away Monday, Feb. 28, 2000, in St. Mary's Medical Center, Saginaw, following a brief illness. She was born Dec. 5, 1932, in Ramallah, Palestine, to the late Shukri and Nijma (Warah) Farhat. She and Elias Kabban were married in 1946 in Palestine. They moved to Harbor Beach in 1981 and helped their family operate the Foodtown Store. He preceded her in death on May 13, 1987. She is a member of Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic Church, Harbor Beach. Helaneh is survived by four sons, Salim Kabban and his wife, Lily, Sami Kabban and his wife, Lubna, George Kabban and his wife, Nabila, all of Harbor Beach and Sameer Kabban and his wife, Samar, of Grand Rapids; a daughter, Samia Shieb and her husband, Jacoub, of Grand Rapids; 16 grandchildren; one sister, Naimeh; and two brothers, Hannah and Norman. She was preceded in death by a sister, Yassmien; and four brothers, Farhat, Geriess, Najeeb and Jamel. Mass of Christian Burial will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 2, 2000, in Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic Church, Harbor Beach, with the Rev. Edward Konieczka, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. There will be a parish vigil service at 8 p.m. Wednesday in the Ramsey Funeral Home, Harbor Beach, a Golden Rule Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight and 3 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.