

**Salina S. Eberly**, 92 years and three months, died Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 13, 2012 at Roanoke Apostolic Home, Roanoke, Ill.

She was born Aug. 13, 1920, to Simon D. and Esther S. (Swartzendruber) Gnagey of Pigeon. She was married to Albert. B. Eberly on May 4, 1946.

Salina and Albert lived most of their married life in Pigeon. Salina was known for her hospitality and eagerness to serve others. Friends always knew Salina would give them a listening ear. They were active members of the Pigeon River Mennonite Church. When Albert retired from the Pigeon Co-op Elevator, they moved to Irwin, Ohio, where they volunteered on the maintenance/kitchen staff of Rosedale Bible College, from 1989 - 2008. They were members of the United Bethel Mennonite Church of Plain City, Ohio. In 2008 they moved to Roanoke, Ill. to live close to their daughter and her family. They attended the Linn Mennonite Church faithfully.

Surviving are her husband of 66 years and their five children, Linda (Elroy) Miller of Harrisonburg, Va., Nelson (Dorcas Yoder) Eberly of Hartville, Ohio, Thelma (Clayton) Nisly of Cuenca, Ecuador, Arlene (Ron) Kennell of Roanoke, Ill., and Willard (Rhoda Snavely) Eberly of Manheim, Penn; 17 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two sisters, Mary B. Turner Foreman and Nannie S. Linder; and two brothers, Orie S. and Fred S. Gnagey; and two infant daughters, Evelyn Mae and Aletha Grace Eberly.

Funeral service will be at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 18, 2012 at United Bethel Mennonite Church, 11342 Lafayette-Plain City Rd., Plain City, OH, 43064.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday, November 17, 2012 and from 1:30 p.m. until time of service Sunday at the church.

Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Memorial gifts can be made to Heralds of Hope (world wide radio ministry), Box 3 Breezewood, PA 15533.