Garwood, Dianne T.

Dianne (Thornton) Capps Garwood, 62, of Sand Point, passed away after a short illness on Thursday, March 2, 2006, at Northwood Meadows in Cass City. She was born in Lafayette, Georgia on September 12, 1943 to Clayton and Ola Thornton, and graduated in 1961 from Hazel Park High School. She received a B.A. in education from Western Michigan University in 1965 and her master's degree was received from Saginaw Valley State University. On March 27, 1989, she was united in marriage to Glen D. Garwood at Clearwater, Florida. He survives her. For 27 years, Dianne was a teacher at Lincoln High School in Warren. She retired to Sand Point in Caseville Township in 1993, where she was a member of Scenic Golf & Country Club, Pigeon, as well as the F.O.E. No. 3690 Ladies Auxiliary, Caseville. In addition to her husband, Glen David Garwood, she is survived by her mother, Ola Thornton; a sister, Jan (John) Lang; three step-sons, Craig Garwood, David (Jill) Garwood, and Ted (Lori) Garwood; a nephew, John "Johnnie" (Kim) Lang; a niece, Michelle (Michael) Bruno; five grandchildren; and three greatnephews. She was preceded in death by her father. A private family memorial celebration will take place at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Covenant Visiting Nurse Association or the University of Michigan Taubman Center in Ann Arbor. Meyersieck-Bussema Funeral Home, Pigeon, is handling the arrangements.