

Ritter, Helen

Helen Angeline Ritter, 93, lifelong resident of Colfax Township, died Saturday, March 29, 2003, at the Tuscola County Medical Care Facility in Caro. She was born on Nov. 22, 1909, in Oliver Township to the late Robert and Susan (Schnieder) Baker. Helen married William Roberts in 1928. He preceded her in death in 1963. She was married to Max Ritter in 1966. He preceded her in death in 1987. Helen worked at the Huron County Medical Care Facility for 22 years as a nurse and occupational therapist. She was a member of the Elkton United Methodist Church, Order of the Eastern Star, Farm Bureau, and Elkton Senior Citizen. She enjoyed quilting, traveling, and crocheting. She is survived by four daughters, Dorothy Duggan of Port Austin, Norma Rouse and her husband, Orville, of East Lansing, Wilma Henne of Colfax, Phyllis Reehl of New Port Richey, Fla.; 17 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; two sisters, Dorothy Armstrong of Waterford Township, Edith Snell of Wayne; one brother, Bud Baker of Elkton; one sister-in-law, Pearl Baker. Helen was preceded in death by one son, Robert R. Roberts; two sisters, Marguerite Miller, Liddy Rosenthal; one brother, Robert "Bob" Baker Jr., three sons-in-law, Walter Duggan, Wayne Henne, Bob Reehl; one sister-in-law, Dorothy Baker. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Thursday, April, 3, 2003, at the MacAlpine Funeral Home of Bad Axe with the Rev. Robert Garret and the Rev. Peter Crawford officiating. Burial will be in Colfax Cemetery. Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, from 1 to 9 p.m. on Wednesday and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Thursday at the funeral home. Memorials may be offered to the Elkton United Methodist Church.