

Barker, Lucy M.

Lucy M. (Eppenbrock) Barker, 96, of Lexington, died Wednesday, April 5, 2006, in Lexington. Lucy was born January 14, 1910 in Harbor Beach, daughter of the late Peter and Anna (Holdwick) Eppenbrock. Her husband, Earl Barker, died in 1940. Lucy was a nanny for several years and later served as a housekeeper for over 60 years at Catholic rectories. She was a member of St. Denis Catholic Church, The Altar Society and St. Theresa's Circle. Surviving are a son, Kenneth, of Fort Gratiot; and a daughter and son-in-law, Doris and Donald Diorio, of Berkeley Springs, West Virginia; her nephew, Fr. Donald Eppenbrock, with whom she lived for the past 15 years; seven grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on Monday, April 10, 2006, at St. Denis Catholic Church. Fr. Donald Eppenbrock will be the main celebrant with other priests concelebrating. Burial will follow in Ss. Peter and Paul Cemetery, Ruth. Visitation will be from 2 to 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Pomeroy Funeral Home, Lexington, and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Monday at the church. A vigil will be conducted at 4 p.m. on Sunday. Memorials may be made to St. Denis Catholic Church, Lexington.