

### **Tuckey, Evelyn D.**

Evelyn D. Tuckey, 94, of Cass City, died Monday, April 18, 2005, in Tendercare Nursing Facility after a long illness. She was born June 13, 1910 in Lake Odessa to Charles and Jeanette Graham (Ferguson) Doerr. She married Charles Luke Tuckey on November 9, 1927 in Cass City. He died March 28, 1996. Evelyn was a member of the Cass City United Methodist Church, the former Salem United Methodist Church and the Cass City United Methodist Women. She contributed six sons to the military and corresponded with them regularly, keeping every letter they wrote home. On her 50th wedding anniversary, Evelyn and her husband were presented honorary graduation certificates from Cass City Community Schools. Evelyn and Luke wintered 19 years in Florida, where they had many friends. Evelyn collected cups and saucers. She was a loving wife, mother and grandmother and truly enjoyed her family. For their 50th wedding anniversary, they took a trip to Hawaii with most of the family members. Evelyn is survived by her children, Dorothy Mantey and her husband, Carl, of Port Austin, Charles Tuckey and his wife, Iris, of Sand Pointe, Eunice Kaufman and her husband, Donald, of Edwardsburg, Dr. Donald Tuckey and his wife, Kathlyn, of Frankenmuth, William Tuckey and his wife, Sylvia, of Frankenmuth, Robert Tuckey and his wife, Barbara, of Cass City, Roy Tuckey and his wife, Kathleen, of Cass City; 27 grandchildren; 47 great-grandchildren; 2 great-great-granddaughters; daughter-in-law, Dolores Tuckey, of Cass City; sisters-in-law, Ruth Doerr, of Saginaw, Mary Doerr, of Mayville, Olga Doerr, of Rhodes, Lanettia Tuckey, of Pontiac; brother-in-law, the Rev. John Tuckey and his wife, Bernice, of Flint; many nieces and nephews; and dear friend and cousin, Florence Schott, of Saginaw. She was preceded in death by son, J.D. Tuckey; brothers, William Doerr, Albert Doerr, Henry Doerr, Dorus Doerr; and sisters, Marjorie Jones, Dorothy Shue, and Mary Buchannan. A funeral service will be conducted at 11 a.m. on Thursday, April 21, 2005, at Cass City United Methodist Church with the Rev. George Ward officiating. Interment will be in Elkland Township Cemetery, Cass City. Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. today, from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. on Wednesday at Kranz Funeral Home in Cass City, and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Thursday at the church. Memorials may be made to Cass City United Methodist Church or Heartland Hospice. Family and friends may share memories, prayers and stories with the family at [www.kranzfuneralhome.com](http://www.kranzfuneralhome.com).