

Phillips, Gail

Gail Irene Phillips, 65, of Bad Axe died Dec. 31, 2001, at St. Mary's Medical Center in Saginaw. She was born on Aug. 16, 1936, in Bad Axe to the late Earl VanCise and Viola VanCise Wendland. Gail enjoyed bingo, lottery, coin collecting, crossword puzzles and spending time with her friends and family. She is survived by five sons, John Phillips and Mitch Phillips of San Antonio, Texas, Vernon Phillips of Bad Axe, Ben Phillips and his wife, Donna, and Wayne Phillips of Winston-Salem, N.C.; four daughters, Laura Heenan of St. Louis, Mo., Carolyn Dorsch and her husband, Mitch, of Pigeon, Teresa Kennedy and her special friend, Kai, of Bad Axe, and Pamela Vuillemot and her husband, Earl, of Bad Axe; a sister, Joan Woolner and her husband, Carl, of Bad Axe; a stepsister, Dorothy LaFave of Bad Axe; two sisters-in-law, Margaret VanCise of Greenwood, S.C., and Cleo VanCise of Filion; 11 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; and many friends. Gail was preceded in death by her brother, Earl VanCise. According to her wishes, Gail was cremated and a memorial service will take place at 4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, 2002, at Victory in Christ Community Church in Bad Axe. The Rev. Stewart Justin will officiate. Arrangements are being handled by MacAlpine Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Visitation will be 2:30 to 4 p.m. Saturday at the church. Memorials may be offered to the Family Discretionary Fund.