

Ida E. Sageman, 86, of Bad Axe, passed away on Friday, June 22, 2012 at the Bay Regional McLaren Hospital in Bay City.

She was born on Feb. 14, 1926 in Colfax Township, daughter of the late Charles and Mary (Codling) Whear. She married Carl R. Sageman on July 23, 1949 in Bad Axe. He preceded her in death on Nov. 9, 1991.

Ida was a member of the Bad Axe High School Class of 1943. She complete college courses for substitute teaching. She was a substitute teacher and teacher's aide in Bad Axe and Ubly. She also taught two years at the Appin Country School, one year at Kelly School (Farmer's Hall) and one year at Wadsworth Country School. She was an avid Detroit Tiger fan, and enjoyed sewing, crossword and jigsaw puzzles, reading the newspaper and watching TV, gardening, and canning of fruits and vegetables. Ida and her husband Carl were Pioneer Seed Corn representatives for 36 years. She was a member of the Bad Axe First Presbyterian Church.

She is survived by one son, Robert (Jill) Sageman of Rochester Hills; three daughters, Barbara (Gene) Maurer of Grand Blanc, Janice Sageman of Ubly, Marilyn (Joseph) Barger of Castle Rock, Colo.; one brother-in-law, Frank (Donna) Sageman of Bad Axe; one sister-in-law, Joan Sageman of Caseville; eight grandchildren, Megan (Dave) Lamke of Ubly, Lauren Ruthko and her fiancé, Jeremy Jurgess of Ubly, Caleb Barger, Erin Barger and Jacob Barger, all of Sterling Heights, Elizabeth Sageman and her fiancé, Joe Bianchi of St. Cloud, Fla., Collin Sageman of Rochester Hills, and Nicholas Sageman of Rochester Hills; one great-granddaughter, Isabelle Bianchi of St. Cloud, Fla.

She was preceded in death by one brother, Wesley Whear; and one sister, Cora Buerker.

Services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday, June 27, 2012 the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Burial will be in Verona Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 1 to 8 p.m. Tuesday and from 10 a.m. until the service time the Kaufman Funeral Home.

Memorials may be offered to the Bad Axe First Presbyterian Church.