

Martin, Ruth

M. Ruth Martin, 83, of Port Huron and formerly of Deckerville, died Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2001, in Medilodge of Yale. She was born on Sept. 1, 1917, in Yale, the daughter of John and Margaret (Blasglow) Long. She married Edgar H. Martin on Dec. 21, 1938, in Port Huron. She moved to Deckerville where he was living at the time. She enjoyed her family, worked at various stores in Deckerville and assisted her husband in their Minneapolis-Moline dealership. In 1967 they moved to Port Huron. She is survived by her husband, Edgar Martin; three sons, Robert Martin of Yale, James Martin and his wife, Nancy, of Avondale, Ariz., and Grant Martin and his wife, Jacky, of Crosswell; one daughter, Marilyn McConnachie and her husband, William, of Harbor Beach; 11 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Ethel Morgan of Port Huron and Mary Mass and her husband, William, of Davison; and two brothers, Alfred Long of Yale and Roy Long of Newport. She was preceded in death by four brothers. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. today, Thursday, Jan. 4, 2001, in the Apsey Funeral Home in Deckerville. Pastor Andrew Willis will officiate. Burial will be in the Downing Cemetery.