

Wilma J. Drees

Wilma J. Drees, age 89, of New Carlisle, passed away Sunday Feb. 27, 2011.

She was born May 22, 1921 in Shelby County, the daughter of the late William and Josephine (Albers) Eilerman.

She is survived by her children, Robert and Cheryl Drees of Troy, Carol and Steve Graham, Harold and Sue Drees all of New Carlisle, Steve and Connie of Stevensville, Mich., Mary and Jim Wentz of Canal Winchester; 11 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; 15 step-great-grandchildren; brothers and sisters, Edna Fullenkamp, Cletus and Delores Eilerman, Leona Speck, Ralph Eilerman, Sister Margaret Eilerman; two sisters-in-law, Rita Eilerman and Virginia Drees; a brother-in-law, Don Schwartz; nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband, Victor Drees; a step-granddaughter, Tracy Ross; a step-great-granddaughter, Alicia Heffner; a brother, Norbert Eilerman; three sisters, Rita Brunswick, Delores Goettemoeller and Mary Schwartz.

Visitation was held Wednesday, March 2, and Thursday, March 3, at the Trostel, Chapman, Dunbar and Fraley Funeral Home, New Carlisle.

Mass of Christian burial was held Thursday March 3, 2011, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, New Carlisle. Burial was in Miami Memorial Park, Covington.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Sacred Heart Catholic Church Building Fund. Condolences may be expressed and the full obituary read at www.trostelchapman.com