

Joan R. Brandewie

Joan R. Brandewie, age 74 of North Star, passed away at 2:55 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 24, 2011 at Mercer County Community Hospital in Coldwater.



She was born Dec. 28, 1936 in Chickasaw to Elmer and Hilda Kremer (Bohman).

On May 21, 1960, she married Jerry Brandewie in Chickasaw and he survives in North Star.

Joan is also survived by four daughters, Jayne and Tony Frilling of Columbus, Joyce Huber of North Star, June Brandewie of St. Marys and Jill Brandewie of Columbus; five grandchildren: Lauren and Lindsey Frilling, Dustin, Taylor and Brittany Huber; seven siblings, Melvin and Ann Kremer of St. Henry, Bernice and Bob Goettemoeller of Columbus, Roger and Barb Kremer of Carthage, Margie and Stan Lefeld of Coldwater, Dennis and Sue Kremer of Troy, Gary and Helen Kremer of Chickasaw and Roy and Jane Kremer of Coldwater and a sister-in-law, Clara Jean and Fred Hein of Chickasaw.

She is preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Edgar Kremer.

She was a member of St. Louis Catholic Church in North Star, St. Ann's Rosary Altar Sodality, the church choir, Maria Stein Knights of St. John Auxiliary and the North Star American Legion Auxiliary. Joan was an avid card player. She loved softball and bowling. She was a homemaker and was a wedding and banquet cook for 45 years.

Mass of Christian Burial was held on Monday, Feb. 28, 2011 at St. Louis Catholic Church in North Star with Fr. David Zink, officiating. Burial followed in St. Louis Cemetery.

Condolences may be left at hogenkampfh.com.