

Thursday, November 17, 2011

Irene S. Woeste

Irene S. Borgerding Woeste, 62, of Coldwater, died at 5:45 a.m. Monday, Nov. 7, 2011, at her home.

She was born on Feb. 6, 1949, in Mercer County, the daughter of the late John and Lillian (Homan) Fleck.

On June 23, 1973, she married Raphael "Rafe" Borgerding, and he preceded her in death on March 26, 1996.



On Nov. 8, 2003, she married Carl Woeste, and he survives in Coldwater.

She is also survived by four children, Sandra and Dale Bertke of St. Henry, Rebecca and Jim Ungruhn of Maria Stein, Ron and Lisa Borgerding of Huntsville, Cory Borgerding of Burkettsville; two stepchildren, Jill Woeste of Mason, Lynn and Mike Carpenter of Lima; 14 grandchildren; eight siblings, Carolyn and Jim Kohlrieser of Carthage, Paul and Carol Fleck of St. Sebastian, Mark and Jane Fleck of St. Sebastian, Alice and Hank Kaiser of St. Sebastian, Wilma and Dan Timmerman of Fort Recovery, George and Mary Lynn Fleck of Duluth, Ga., Johnny and Linda Fleck of Minster, Jim and Pam Fleck of Chickasaw; parents-in-law, Bill and Mary Woeste of Coldwater; in-law, Bernice and Dale Klosterman of Celina, Janice Borgerding of St. Henry, Nettie Borgerding of Dayton, Bob and Joe Albers of North Star, Bob and Betty Meiring of New Bremen, Ken and Lin Woeste of Celina, Paul and Yoli Woeste of Coldwater, Ron and Lori Woeste of Coldwater. She was also preceded in death by a grandson, Joshua Carpenter; in-laws, Bob Link, Shirley Fleck, Joe Borgerding, John Borgerding, Barb Albers, Vivian Meiring.

She was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church and the St. Bernard Ladies Sodality in Burkettsville. She was also a member of the Celina Eagles Auxiliary. She worked in the office at Francis Furniture in Celina. She was also a long-time Burkettsville town clerk.

A Mass of Christian burial was held on Thursday, Nov. 10 at St. Bernard Catholic Church in Burkettsville, with the Rev. Benedict Magabe officiating. Burial followed in St. Bernard Cemetery in Burkettsville.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the Cancer Association of Mercer County. Condolences may be left at hogenkampfh.com.