

Eulena Sherman

Eulena Mary Rose Sherman, age 92, died Saturday, April 18, 2009 at Heritage Manor Nursing Home in Minster.



She was born Aug. 23, 1916 in Covington to Frank and Victoria (Simon) Grilliot. On Aug. 18, 1937, she married August C. Sherman, who preceded her in death in 1987.

She is survived by her three children: Jeanette (Orville) Watercutter of Fort Loramie, Marlene (Guillozet) and Jeffrey Jarboe of Battle Ground, Ind., and Richard (Marilyn) Sherman of Russia; as well as 13 grandchildren and 35 great-grandchildren. She also leaves behind her siblings: Robert Grilliot of Versailles, Lowell Grilliot of Piqua, Freda Love of Tamarac, Fla., and Helen (Farrell "Bud") Johnston of Springfield; and three sisters-in-law: Vivian Grilliot of Troy, Rose Ann Grilliot of Stuart, Fla., and Mildred "Mel" Sherman of Sidney. She is preceded in death by four brothers: Ivan, Verus, Francis and Linus Grilliot; an infant sister Roberta Grilliot, son-in-law Kenneth Guillozet and one grandson David Guillozet.

She was a member of Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, the Rosary Alter Society and a former member of St. Denis Catholic Church in Versailles. She had been a homemaker and was also a secretary for eight years at the Versailles Senior Citizens Housing, Inc. She had also been an active volunteer at the Versailles Health Care Center and the Versailles "Trash for Cash." She enjoyed quilting, crocheting and gardening.

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Tuesday, April 21, 2009 at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, with Rev. Steven Shoup officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be contributed to Sts. Peter and Paul Church or a charity of the donor's choice. Gehret Funeral Home in Fort Loramie handled the arrangements.