

Thursday, April 29, 2010

## Helen M. DeMange

On Friday, April 23, 2010, Helen M. DeMange, age 88, died at her residence in Versailles.



She was born Sept. 12, 1921, to Peter and Elizabeth Paulus of Russia. She married Paul R. DeMange on Jan. 11, 1941. He preceded her in death on Sept. 13, 1982.

She is survived by 14 children: Carl (Diana), Joan, Marilyn (Jerry) Bensman, Elaine (Ron) Marshall, Ken (Angie), all of Versailles, Betty (Bob) Poppelman and Rick (Marg) of Osgood, Marjorie (Paul) Bruey, Ernie (Diane), and Leroy (Ann), all of Yorkshire, Nancy (Harold) Niekamp of Minster, Ed (Sue) of Rossburg, Theresa (Bob) Hemmelgarn of North Star and Roger (Kris) of St. Henry. She was the proud grandmother of 45 living and four deceased grandchildren, two step grandchildren, 66 and three deceased great-grandchildren and a step great-grandchild.

Also surviving are her sister Sarah Magoto and sister-in-law Bernice Paulus, both of Russia, Ohio. Preceded in death are her sisters Catherine Magoto, Christina Carity, Laura and Martha; and brothers Stephen, Lawrence, Adrian and Tom.

Helen attended St. Nicholas Catholic Church where she was a member of the St. Barbara Ladies Sodality.

A funeral Mass was officiated by the Rev. David Zink on Wednesday, April 28, 2010, at 10:30 a.m., at the St. Nicholas Catholic Church in Osgood, Ohio. Internment followed St. Martin's Cemetery in Osgood. The Bailey Zechar Funeral Home in Versailles handled the arrangements. Memorial contributions can be made to the Osgood Fire and Rescue Departments. Condolences for the family may be sent to [www.zecharbailey.com](http://www.zecharbailey.com).