

Louise 'Lill' Wagner

Louise "Lill" Wagner, 92, formerly of N. Garfield St., Minster, passed away on Tuesday, Feb. 26, 2013, at 10:35 p.m. at Elmwood in New Bremen, where she had been a resident for 2.5 years.



She was born on Dec. 3, 1920, in St. Patrick, the daughter of to Louis and Anna (Hoying) Raterman. On Aug. 4, 1942, she married Wallace B. Wagner, Sr, and he preceded her in death on Feb. 10, 1995. She is survived by three daughters and a son and their spouses, Pamela and Thomas Kinsella of Minster, Becky and Rudy Quinter of Minster, Gayle and John Adamescu of Rocky River, Wallace B. Jr., and Nancy Wagner of Minster. An infant son, Timothy, is deceased. She has 14 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren. One great-grandchild is deceased. She is also survived by two sisters, Micki Debrose of Middletown and Patricia Neff of Vandalia; sisters-in-law, Theola Raterman of Dayton, Rosemary Raterman of Fort Loramie, Norma Raterman of Minster, Ann Schwieterman of Columbus. She was also preceded in death by brothers, Henry, Joseph, Ray, her twin Louis, Homer "Squirt" and Tom; sisters, Marys Schular, Verona Segesser, Lottie Raterman, Julianna Gates, Florence Ritter. She was a member of St. Augustine Catholic Church in Minster and the Catholic Ladies of Columbia, a former member of the FOE 1391 Auxiliary. She was also a Girl Scout leader, Boy Scout leader, 4-H advisor and local chair for the American Heart Association. She enjoyed gardening, flowers, reading, traveling, golf and bowling. She was a homemaker and was co-owner of Wagner's IGA in Minster. A Mass of Christian burial was held March 4 at St. Augustine Catholic Church, with the Rev. Rick Nieberding officiating. Memorial contributions can be directed to the Minster Community Fund.