

Dolores C. Baltes

Dolores C. "Dorie" Baltes age 79 of Versailles, passed away on Monday, Jan. 18, 2010 at Miami Valley Hospital in Dayton.



She was born May 15, 1930 in Wendelin, to the late Jacob & Loretta (Wuebker) Siefiring. She is survived by her husband, James "Jimmy" Baltes, whom she married June 12, 1951.

She is also survived by her daughters and sons-in-law: Jayne Baltes of Greenville, Holly (Nick) Keiser of Versailles and Dennis Hemmelgarn of Burkettsville; as well as grandchildren: Michael & Lisha Hemmelgarn, Bryan & Nikki Hemmelgarn, Odessa & Keith Boeckman, Megan, Madison, Mallory & Alex Keiser; and great grandchildren: Allyson Hemmelgarn, Ben & Kate Hemmelgarn, Ava, Samuel and Michael Boeckman. She also leaves behind brothers, Leroy (MaryJane) Siefiring of St. Henry and Urban Siefiring of Ft. Recovery, sisters: Irene (Dick) Schilling of Coldwater, Evelyn Siefiring of Coldwater and Jenny (Jim) Condon of Versailles; a sister-in-law Flo (Siefiring) McCalla of Minster and numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents, she is also preceded in death by a daughter, Kathy Hemmelgarn, and brothers Ralph and Victor Siefiring.

Dorie, along with her husband, were former owners of Baltes Restaurant in Frenchtown for 37 years. Dorie was a member of St. Denis Catholic Church in Versailles and St. Ann's Sodality of Holy Family Catholic Church in Frenchtown.

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on Friday, Jan. 22, 2010 at St. Denis Catholic Church in Versailles, with Rev. Fr. David Vincent officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Versailles Emergency Medical Services. Condolences for the family may be expressed through www.zecharbailey.com.