



## Bishop Tillie Matilda

September 21, 2013

Matilda "Tillie" Bishop January 28, 1921-September 21, 2013 Matilda M. "Tillie" Bishop, 92, of Hamler, Ohio died early Saturday morning, September 21, 2013 at Wood County Hospital, Bowling Green, Ohio. She was born January 28, 1921 in Bartlow Township, Henry County, Ohio to the late Mathias and Minnie (Tietje) Petersen. On September 29, 1946 she married Billy B. Bishop at St. John Lutheran Church, Deshler and he preceded her in death on May 31, 1997. Tillie was a loving wife, mother and grandmother. She worked for over 13 years at the former Koppenhoffer Bros./IMCO Poultry, Deshler. She was a member of St. Stephen Lutheran Church, Hamler where she was a former Sunday School teacher and a member of Warren L. McIntire American Legion Post #262 Auxiliary, Hamler. She is survived by four children, Mathew Bishop, Leipsic, Ohio; Colleen (Tim) Phillips, Hamler; Barbara (Robert) Gerken, Hamler; Bonnie (Robert) Blake, Carmel, Indiana; 11 grandchildren; 16 great grandchildren and sister, Norma Rosebrook, Deshler. She was also preceded in death by a grandson, T.J. Phillips; great grandson, Timmy Phillips; and three brothers, Victor Petersen; Robert Houser and Alfred Petersen. Funeral services are 11:00 a.m., Tuesday at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, Hamler with Rev. Tamara Wood officiating. Burial will follow in Marion Township Cemetery, Hamler. Visitation is 2-8 p.m., Monday at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Deshler and 10-11 a.m. prior to the services at the church. The family suggests memorials to St. Stephen Lutheran Church Building Fund. Online condolences can be made at [www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com](http://www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com)



# Tribute Wall



“ On behalf of Henry Co. Right to Life we would like to thank Tillie for her service in the fight to protect the unborn. We're sure she is in heaven still helping them! Colleen you are in our thoughts and prayers at this time.##imported-begin##Eileen Wagner##imported-end##

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September 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Aunt Tillie was a great woman and will be truly missed. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. Mark & Joyce Arthur##imported-begin##Joyce (bishop) Arthur##imported-end##

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“ Bob & Bonnie - we are so sorry for your loss - our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love Brett & Wendy##imported-begin##Brett & Wendy Bonenberger##imported-end##

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“ Our sincere sympathy to the whole family. Tillie was a wonderful lady. We will keep you all in our prayers.##imported-begin##Kathy & Steve Lieb##imported-end##

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September 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ You all have my sympathy. I have enjoyed knowing Tillie for many years. I first met her at Koppenhofer Bros. several years ago.##imported-begin##Betty Baer##imported-end##

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