



Sonnenberg Christina

December 16, 2010

Christina Ida (Huner) Sonnenberg, 89, of Napoleon, Ohio died Thursday, December 16, 2010 at Swanton Valley Care and Rehabilitation Center. She was born on December 25, 1920 in Defiance, Ohio to the late Carl and Helen (Kruse) Huner. On June 8, 1941, she was married to Alvin Sonnenberg at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Defiance, who preceded her in death in 1997.

Christina was a homemaker, who worked throughout her life for Campbell Soup Co., Neuhauser Hatchery, Foster Canning, and Huddle Farms. She was a faithful member of Hope Lutheran Church, Hamler, where she was active in the Women of the Church. She was also a member of the Malinta American Legion Auxiliary. She is survived by sons, Richard (Suzanne) of Wauseon, Allan (Kim) of Holgate, Lynn (Karen) of Napoleon, Steven (Brenda) of Hamler, Eugene (Julie) of Garrett, Ind., Burdell (Pat) of Napoleon, daughters, Elaine (Craig) Kirkendall of Napoleon, and Helena (Troy) Emerson of Butler, Ind., 17 grandchildren, 8 step grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren, 12 step great grandchildren, and 4 great great grandchildren, brother, Eldor (Virginia) Huner of Napoleon, sisters, Valeta Koppenhofer of Defiance, and Laura Meyer of Napoleon. She was also preceded in death by a son, James, great grandchild, Brandon Kirkendall, a brother, Melvin, two sister's, Hildegard and an infant sister, and a step great grandchild. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Monday at Hope Lutheran Church, Hamler with Pastor Lindsay Shaner officiating. Interment will follow at the church cemetery. Visitation will be held on Sunday from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at the Rodenberger Funeral Home,

Napoleon and Monday from 9-10 a.m. at the church. Memorial contributions may be made to Hope Lutheran Church Building Fund, Filling Home of Mercy of Napoleon, or a charity of the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall



“ Dear Elaine & Craig, Thinking of you with the loss of your Mom during this Holiday season. Our prayers are with all of your family.##imported-begin##Lila Sonnenberg Wernecke##imported-end##

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