



Lydia M. Henke

July 13, 2005

Lydia M. Henke, 94, of Worden, IL. died Wednesday, July 13, 2005, at Hitz Memorial Home, Alhambra.

Mrs. Henke was born November 9, 1910, in Worden, IL. to Herman and Sophie (Sievers) Albrecht. On February 10, 1942, she married Paul H. Henke and preceded her in death on April 27, 1978.

Mrs. Henke was born at Worden, IL. where she grew up and attended rural and country schools. She had worked as a housekeeper in Edwardsville prior to her marriage. After her marriage, she and her husband worked as dairy, beef and grain farmers near Worden. She was a devoted mother and grandmother. She enjoyed gardening, sewing, and canning. She also enjoyed playing pinochle with her family and friends. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Hamel and belonged to Hamel and Alhambra Senior Citizens Club.

Mrs. Henke is Survived by two sons, Floyd P. (Laurel) Henke, Staunton, IL., and Arnold H. (Carol) Henke, Worden, IL.; a daughter, Delores (Alfred) Hagemann, Kansas City, KS.; ten grandchildren, Diane Hagemann, Sara (David) Thorn, Tanya (Adnan)Akyuz, Tricia (Josh) Lamb, Tami (Todd) Masinelli, Lisa (Matthew) Miersch, Andrea Henke, Jeffery Henke, Gregory Henke and Carrie (Justin) Rucker: and six great grandchildren, Evren and

Esen Akyuz, Lydia and Elena Thorn, Blake Miersch and Addison Rucker.

Mrs. Henke was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, Ferdinand Albrecht and Herman Albrecht and a sister, Hulda (Albrecht) Henke