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Adella Henke

August 21, 1916 - September 20, 2014

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Adella B. (Schmidt) Schlater Henke,

Age 98, formerly of St. Rt. 66, Fort Loramie, passed away of natural causes early Saturday morning, September 20, 2014, at the Versailles Health Care Center in Versailles, Ohio, where she had been a resident since 2004. She was born August 21, 1916, at Yorkshire, Ohio, to John J. and Elizabeth M. (Sturwold) Schmidt. On June 1, 1938, at St. Nicholas Catholic Church in Osgood, Adella married August A. Schlater; he preceded her in death on November 11, 1957. On October 18, 1958, she was married to Julius H. Henke at St. Michael Catholic Church in Fort Loramie; he preceded her in death on June 17, 1991. Surviving are one daughter, Diane E. & Daryl Plessinger of Versailles; two grandsons, Jesse & Heather Plessinger of Cincinnati and Joshua & Emily Plessinger of Versailles; five great-grandchildren: Carley, Joshua, Jessa, Maria and Joseph Plessinger; one sister, Henrietta & Sam Doseck of Fort Loramie; two sisters-in-law, Marie Schmidt of Vandalia, Viola Schmidt of Yorkshire; numerous nieces and nephews; and dear friends of the family: Donald, Desiree and Dalton Brogaard of Coldwater. She was preceded in death by three brothers, Lawrence & Ruth Schmidt, Leo Schmidt and Raymond Schmidt as well as numerous brothers & sisters-in-law from the Schlater

and Henke families.

Adella was a homemaker and attended St. Michael Catholic Church. She had also been a member of St. Ann's Ladies Sodality, Shelby Co. Right to Life, Name of the North (Widows & Widowers Club), the Fort Loramie ladies euchre club and was a past president of St. Michael's Catholic Ladies of Columbia. She was also a founding member of Walk-Up Country Club and Henke's Lake (Fenners).

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 AM, Friday, September 26, 2014, at St. Michael Church in Fort Loramie with Rev. Steven Shoup presiding. Interment will follow at St. Michael's Cemetery. Friends may call Thursday 4:00 to 8:00 PM and Friday 9:00 to 10:00 AM at Gehret Funeral Home in Fort Loramie. Memorials may be made to the St. Michael Church Building Fund or Shelby Co. Right to Life. Condolences may be expressed at www.gehretfuneralhome.com

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