

## Rita E. Schmiesing

Rita E. Schmiesing, age 87, of Egypt, Ohio, died Sunday, June 28, 2009, at Heritage Manor Nursing Home in Minster.

She was born March 18, 1922 in St. Patrick to the late Charles Liening and the late Mary (Luthman) Liening. She married Urban M Schmiesing on April 18, 1942 in St. Patrick, Ohio. He preceded her in death on Jan. 9, 1999. She is survived by her children, Nancy (Paul Broering) of Saint Henry, Marilyn (Leonard) Holdheide of St. Rose, Patricia (Vernon) Grieshop of Osgood, Ronald Schmiesing of Minster and Henry Schmiesing of Minster; Nineteen grandchildren James, Lisa, Linda, Diane, Sheila, Kevin, Brian, Amy, Todd, Marlene, Douglas, Cynthia, Christopher, Craig, Mark, Sarah, Brenda, Jason, Philip and 45 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two grandchildren, Terrence and Jeffrey.

She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Egypt, Ohio, Caring Minister of St. Augustine/St. Joseph Parishes, St. Anne's Ladies Sodality.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Joseph Catholic Church at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday July 2, 2009 with the Rev. Rick Nieberding officiating.

Burial will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery in Egypt. Hogenkamp Funeral Home in Minster handled the arrangements.