



Esther Arlene Grant

May 3, 1928 - May 22, 2002

Grant, Esther 74, of Charlotte, Michigan, died Wednesday, May 22, 2002. Mrs. Grant was born May 3, 1928, in Chester Township, Michigan, the daughter of Donie E. and Veda E. (Larabee) Wright. She was a member of the Chester Gospel Church. Mrs. Grant worked at Scheib Industries until she and Ray started Grants Woodshop in 1972 retiring in 1991. She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Raymond Grant, son Paul Grant of Charlotte, daughter Pam (Nelson) Appelman of Nashville, son Don (Marcia) Grant of Vermontville, Michigan, son Rob (Wendy) Grant of Vermontville, daughter-in-law Cindy Grant of Charlotte, 9 grandchildren, 1 great grandchild, sisters Betty (Vern) Gilding of Charlotte, Phyllis (Stanley) Bothwell of Fountain, Michigan, Patty (Max) Butler of Eaton Rapids, Michigan, brothers Wendall (Dema) Wright of Vermontville, Larry (Patti) Wright of Charlotte, sisters-in-law Bonnie (Ray) Harper of Charlotte, Alice (Paul) Edwards of Grand Ledge, Michigan and Barbara Wright of Charlotte. She was preceded in death by son Randy, daughter Sandy, 3 grandchildren, 1 great grandchild, brothers Carroll, Dewayne and Lester. Funeral services will be 3:30 p.m. Friday, May 24, 2002 at Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte, with Pastor Marc Livingston officiating. Interment will be in Gresham Cemetery in Charlotte. Visitation will be Thursday 2 - 4 and 7 - 9 pm at Pray Funeral Home. If desired, memorial contributions may be made to the Chester Gospel Church Camp Fund, Youth Haven Ranch or Eaton Community Hospice.