

Dortha M. Hirschy, 89, of Decatur died on Sunday, February 19, 2012 at Woodcrest Nursing Center. She was born on August 26, 1922 in Adams County, Indiana to the late Forrest and Lessie (Watkins) Ray. On December 6, 1941 she married Wayne H. Hirschy. Dortha was a member of Monroe United Methodist Church. She retired in 1985 from C.T.S. in Berne with 21 years of service.

Surviving is her husband Wayne H. Hirschy of Decatur; three sons Jerry (Alice) Hirschy of Monroe, David (Libby) Hirschy of Peoria, IL and Keith (Gina) Hirschy of Pikeville, NC; two daughters Jo Ann (Bill) Strait of Monroe and Phyllis (Jim) Stauffer of Yorktown, IN; 12 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two brothers Harold and Fritz Ray; two sisters Margaret Beitler and Helen Parrish and a great grandson Drake Hill.

Visitation will be from 2-8 p.m. Wednesday, February 22, 2012 at Haggard-Sefton & Hirschy Funeral Home and 1 hour prior to services at the church. Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 23rd at Monroe United Methodist Church. Pastor Troy Green will be officiating. Burial will be in Spring Hill (Backesto) Cemetery. Memorials are to Family Life Care.

Haggard-Sefton & Hirschy Funeral Home online obit (accessed 2-20-12)