

Thelma M. Andrews

(October 28, 1913 - December 21, 2007)

Thelma M. Andrews, 94 of Decatur passed away early Friday morning December 21, 2007 at Adams Memorial Hospital. Thelma was born in Covington, Kentucky on October 28, 1913 to the late Adolph J. Cook and Dora C. Gauck. She married Robert C. Andrews on September 23, 1939 and passed away November 23, 2002.

Thelma was the mother of 6 children; sons Ronald R. (Linda) Andrews of Decatur and Steven J. Andrews of Pensacola, FL; daughters Mrs. Alvin (Angela A.) Rauch, Mrs. Max (Karen J.) Bressler, Gretchen C. Summers all of Decatur and Mrs. Tim (Sandra R.) Hoehn of Fort Wayne; a brother Robert W. Cook of Decatur. She was blessed with 14 grandchildren, 26 great grandchildren, 3 great great grandchildren, 3 step grandchildren and 4 step great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by 3 sisters, 2 brothers and a great granddaughter Ellie Bressler 9/7/2006.

Thelma was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, its Rosary Society, The Women of St. Mary's, The catholic Ladies of Columbia, The Harvest House and the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. She worked as a cook for the former Fairway and then for the West End restaurant, from which she retired and was also a lifelong homemaker.

Calling hours are from 1-4 pm Sunday, December 23, 2007 at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home with a reciting of the holy rosary prior to calling at 12:30 pm. A 9:20 prayer service will be on Monday, December 24, 2007 at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home followed by a 10:00 am Mass of Christian Burial at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church. Father David Voors will be officiating and burial is in St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery.

Memorials are to St. Joseph Catholic School, Masses or Adams County Home Health.

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