



Celeste R. Peterson, 84, of Woodcrest Nursing Center in Decatur, IN, passed away Thursday, July 27, 2006 at Adams Memorial Hospital. Celeste was born on March 4, 1922 in Decatur, IN, to Charles J. and Bertha (Steigmeyer) Miller. On July 12, 1945 she married Wayne E. Peterson, he died on January 12, 1989.

Celeste is survived by 3 sons Eugene W. Peterson of Wren, OH, Edward C. Peterson of Wilshire, OH & John F. Peterson of Decatur, IN; 1 daughter Marjorie (Greg) Minch of Decatur, IN; 2 brothers Eugene J. Miller of Decatur, IN & Leo J. Miller of Carlsbad, CA; 10 grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren & 1 great-great grandchild. She was preceded in death by her husband Wayne E. Peterson, her daughter Marilyn Christen, a grandson, 2 brothers & 2 sisters.

She was a member of St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church and the Rosary Society. She retired in 1986 from the West End Restaurant. She also worked at G.E. during World War II, Monmouth School Lunch Room, Mies' Four Seasons Restaurant & Bowling Alley, & G.E. café until it closed.

Visitation will be Sunday, July 30, 2006 from noon - 4 pm at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home with a reciting of the rosary at 4:00 pm. Funeral Services will be held on Monday, July 31, 2006 with a 9:20 am Prayer Service at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home followed by a 10:00 am Mass of Christian Burial at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church. Officiating will be Father David Voors and Deacon Bob Lengerich. Burial in St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Decatur, IN.

Memorials may be made to St. Joseph Catholic School or St. Vincent DePaul Society.

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