

## **News-Sentinel, The (Fort Wayne, IN) - Thursday, August 19, 1999**

Rosella E. Franz

Monroeville - 1920-1999

Rosella E. Franz, 78, of Monroeville, a homemaker, died Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1999, at home.

The Adams Township native had worked for General Electric in Fort Wayne and was a member of St. Peter Lutheran Church, Fuelling, rural Decatur.

Surviving are sons Duane and Allen, both of Monroeville; daughters Verna Doehrman of Columbia City and Alice Rekeweg of Decatur; brothers Melvin Zelt of Warren, Mich., and Delmer Zelt of Monroeville; sisters Florence Hitzemann of New Haven and Luella Schweyer of Hudson; 24 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Her husband, Erwin; a daughter, Arnita Thieme; and a son, Loren, preceded her in death.

Services are 11 a.m. Friday at St. Peter Lutheran Church, Fuelling, with calling one hour before services. Calling is from 1 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. today at Zwick & Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur. Burial will be in St. Peter Lutheran Church Cemetery, Fuelling.

Memorials are to the church, St. Peter-Immanuel Lutheran School Building Fund, Radio Reading Service or the donor's choice.

Information provided by Zwick & Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur, 1-219-724-9164.

**Contributed by Jane Edson**