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ESTHER BOWMAN, 86, of Berne died Monday in Parkview Memorial Hospital.

The Adams County native was a retired seamstress for Dunbar Furniture and also retired from the Winner House, and was a former member of Berne Library Board. She was the widow of Herman, who died in 1972.

Surviving are daughters, Darlene Stucky of Fort Wayne and Tanya Locke of Bradenton, Fla.; sisters, Edith Crumpton of Ridgeway, S.C., and Kathryn Nussbaum of Berne; brothers, Walter Schindler of Berne and Clarence Schindler of Statesville, N.C.; six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Services are 1 p.m. tomorrow in First Mennonite Church, Berne, with burial in MRE Cemetery. Calling is 3 to 8 p.m. today and 9 to 11:30 a.m. tomorrow in Yager-Kirchhofer Funeral Home, Berne, and noon to 1 p.m. tomorrow in the church.

Preferred memorials are gifts to Berne Garden Club or Library.