

## **Catherine Lehman**

Date of Death: 1968

Date of Burial: Monday, June 17, 1968

Burial: E Side of Lot 47, Sect. 1, 4<sup>th</sup> Add - MRE

Widow of Ellis C. Lehman Dies Early Tuesday

Funeral Here Thursday for Local Woman, 65

Mrs. Catherine Lehman, 65, 518 East Water Street, died unexpectedly at 6 am Tuesday at the Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne following surgery on Monday. She was the widow of Ellis C. Lehman who died in 1960.

Mrs. Lehman had been ill for ten days and was taken to the Fort Wayne hospital for surgery. It is believed she suffered a stroke after the surgery, according to the autopsy performed on the body. She had apparently suffered several light strokes previously.

Mrs. Lehman was a lifelong resident of Berne. She was born here February 8, 1903, a daughter of Joseph D. and Caroline Sprunger Winteregg. She was married May 28, 1925, in Berne.

Surviving are two sons, Larry J. Lehman, Fort Wayne and Charles D. Lehman, Berne; a daughter, Mrs. Nadine Kennedy, wife of Dr. Herbert C. Kennedy of Tacoma, Washington; six grandchildren; a brother, Norman Winteregg, Englewood, Ohio and two sisters, Mrs. Ike (Edna) Marvel, Ithaca, New York and Florida and Mrs. Joseph E. (Ruth) Brewster, Fort Wayne. A brother, Gerhardt, a sister, Mrs. Gilbert (Isodora) Hirsch, preceded in death.

Mrs. Lehman was a member of the First Mennonite Church.

The body is at the Yager Funeral Home where friends may call and where services will be held at 2 pm Thursday, Rev. Gordon J. Neuenschwander will officiate and burial will be in the MRE Cemetery.

**Berne Heritage Room**

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