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Wilma Lehman

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Wilma Lehman, 90, of Berne, a homemaker, died Saturday, April 15, 2000, at Swiss Village, Berne.

The Adams County native has worked at Jay Garment, Portland, and Berco Co. as a seamstress, and was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene, Berne.

Surviving are her husband, Willis; a son, Keith of Winchester; daughters Ireta Zerkel of Winchester, Charlene Whitenack of Ridgeville, Arlou Wittwer of Berne and Sharon Bouser of Naples, N.Y., a brother, Alton Biberstein of Berne; 28 grandchildren; 44 great-grandchildren; and 14 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Otto Sommer; sons Larry Lehman and Glendon Sommer; four brothers; and five sisters.

Services are 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at First Church of Nazarene, with calling one hour before services. Calling is also from 3 to 8 p.m. today at Yager-Kirchhofer Funeral Home, Berne. Burial will be at M.R.E. Cemetery, Berne.

Memorials are to the church or Swiss Village.

Information provided by Yager-Kirchhofer Funeral Home, Berne, 1-219-589-3101.

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