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Surena Marhenke Berne

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Surena Marhenke, 88, of Berne, a retired high school teacher, died Saturday, Aug. 5, 2000, at Swiss Village, Berne.

The Berne native attended Heidelberg College and Ball State University, and had worked at South Adams Schools, where she was a student adviser and class play sponsor. She was a member of Delta Kappa Gamma educational sorority and Cross United Church of Christ.

Surviving is her son, Jon D. of Indianapolis.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Alfred L.; a brother, Elmer; and sisters, Sylvia Schwartz and Florence Steiner.

Services are 10 a.m. Wednesday at Cross United Church of Christ, with calling one hour prior to services. Calling will also be held from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Yager-Kirchhofer Funeral Home, Berne. Burial will be at MRE Cemetery.

Memorials are to the donor's choice.

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

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