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The mother and sister of Bluffton residents, Linda J. Lugar, 66, Geneva, died at 10:37 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 5, 2008 at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Born in Long Beach, Calif. on March 29, 1942 to Hugh and Marlene (Poquett) Brown, she married George E. Lugar on July 29, 1972 in Poneto; he died May 7, 1986. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include two daughters, Melinda (William) Elston of Bluffton and Stacy Knapp of Geneva; two sisters, Sue Zuercher of Bluffton and Judith Hai of Big Sandy, Tenn.; seven grandchildren; and two step-great-grandchildren.

Calling hours are Tuesday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Downing & Glancy Funeral Home in Geneva. Services will be there at 2 p.m. Tuesday. Interment will be at Riverside Cemetery, Geneva. Preferred memorials are to the American Kidney Foundation.