

Ruth H. Miller, 97, of Geneva, IN, passed away at 9:13 AM on Saturday, November 19, 2016 at Swiss Village in Berne, IN. She was born on Thursday, November 13, 1919, east of Geneva in Wabash township to Cloyd and Orfa (Coon) Nelson and spent her childhood days in the area. She graduated from the Geneva High school with the class of 1937. On August 18, 1940 she married John H. Miller and they continued to live in the Geneva area until 1952 when they moved to Jay County. During this time she was employed at the G.C. Murphy store in Portland. She later worked in the Jay County Welfare Department and for the Jay County Surveyor. She retired from the Davidson Land Surveying office in 1986. In 1988 Ruth and her husband returned to Geneva to reside for their retirement. John passed away on February 9, 1991.

Ruth is survived by her sister- Mrs. Fred (Jo) Ziek, Rockford, OH. and several nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, 2 sisters, 1 sister in law and 3 brothers.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Swiss Village 1350 W. Main St. Berne on Tuesday, November 22, 2016 from 12:00 PM to 2:00 PM.

A service to celebrate Ruth's life will be at Swiss Village 1350 W. Main St. Berne at 2:00 PM on Tuesday, November 22, 2016 with the Rev. Wilbur Taylor officiating. Interment will follow in the Riverside Cemetery in Berne.

Arrangements are being handled by Downing & Glancy Funeral Home in Geneva.

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