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Helen Lucille Gehres, 61, of 1026 Elm St. died at 9:06 p.m. Monday in the Van Wert County Hospital. She was born on Feb 20, 1921, in Decatur, the daughter of Rufus and Bessie (Ogg) Roop. Her husband, Walter Arnold Gehres, whom she married on Feb. 14, 1953, survives.

Mrs. Gehres was a homemaker and a member of the First United Methodist Church where she taught Sunday school for 12 years. She was also a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, a national genealogist and a 1939 graduate of Decatur High School.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday in the Cowan and Son Funeral Home with the Rev. John L. Hickman Jr. officiating. Burial will be in the Decatur Cemetery. Friends may call after 2 p.m. on Wednesday in the funeral home.