

Decatur Daily Democrat, Adams County, Indiana; Tuesday, December 23, 2003

Berteline L. Riley, 82, Decatur, a lifelong Adams County resident, died at 11:28 a.m. Monday in the emergency room at Adams County Memorial Hospital after being stricken at home a short time earlier.

She was born on April 13, 1921, in Adams County to Edward and Emma Roth Beer. She married V. Wayne Riley on January 18, 1941; he died on August 20, 1978. She was a homemaker and a member of Pleasant Mills United Methodist Church.

Surviving are a son, Donald L. Riley of rural Decatur; a daughter, Mrs. Larry (Linda) Caffee of Willshire, Ohio; two brothers, Kenneth Beer of Decatur and Eli Beer of Pleasant Lake; a sister, Mrs. Bill (Mary Ellen) Snyder of Decatur; three grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild. Two brothers and a sister are deceased.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Zwick and Jahn Funeral Home, Decatur, with burial in Decatur Cemetery. Visiting hours are 2-9 p.m. Friday. Preferred memorials are to the church.

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