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MARILYN E. SHEEHAN, 82, of Decatur, died Thursday, March 1, 2007, at Wood-crest Nursing Center. Born March 19, 1924, in Clay City, Ind., she was the daughter of the late Charles and Elva (Nelson) Deeter. She married Thomas A. Sheehan on March 23, 1946; he died on Nov. 8, 1986. She was a member of Union Chapel United Methodist Church, where she was a Financial Secretary for 18 years, Sunday school teacher and held various offices within the church. She was a former member of Jolly Housewives, Live & Learn Home Demonstration Clubs, 4-H Leader, Vice Precinct Committee Women and Election Board; and lifetime member of Adams County Historical Society. She was a retired Bookkeeper from Dean's Milk & Stiefel Grain, Decatur. Surviving are two sons, Patrick (Alyce) Sheehan of Liberty and Lee Sheehan of Decatur; two daughters, Rebecca (Steve) Goble and Karen (Joseph) Garner, both of Decatur; 12 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. Funeral service is 2 p.m. Sunday at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur, with visitation two hours prior to service. Visitation also from 2 to 8 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home. Burial in Decatur Cemetery. Memorials to Union Chapel United Methodist Church or Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana. To sign our guestbook, click on www.haggardandsefton.com