Feb. 6, 1916-Nov. 4, 2013



Bernice C. McClure, 97, of Fremont, died Monday at her residence.

She was born Feb. 6, 1916, in Van Wert County to Fred and Anna (Huysman) Rice, who preceded her in death.

On Feb. 9, 1935, she married Everett B. McClure, who preceded her in death.

Survivors include a son, Richard (Diana) McClure of Brevard, N.C.; a daughter, Nancy (Nick Nichols) McClure of Fremont; six grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by four brothers, Lee, Harvey, Glen and Loren Rice; and three sisters, Jennie Schram, Doris Jones and Emma Miller.

Mrs. McClure was a farmer and co-owner of McClure Surplus Store. She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, Delphos, and DoPasso. She was a 1933 graduate of Jefferson High School. She enjoyed cooking, especially cookies and angel food cake. She also enjoyed sewing and loved to square dance.

Funeral services will begin at 11 a.m. Friday at Harter and Schier Funeral Home, the Rev. David Howell officiating. Burial will be in Walnut Grove Cemetery.

Friends may call from 9-11 a.m. Friday at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, preferred memorials are to Trinity United Methodist Church.