



Dessie M. Koch

November 25, 1912 - June 6, 2009

Dessie M. Koch, 96, of Petersburg passed away Saturday June 6, 2009 at the Menard Convalescent Center in Petersburg. She was born November 25, 1912 in Atterberry, IL. the daughter of Orie and Martha Dawson Hardin. She married Herbert H. Koch on April 4, 1931 in Havana.

Dessie was a member of the Kilbourne Methodist Church, and she was a homemaker for many years.

She is survived by one daughter Audrey (Nelson) Caulkins of Manito, two grandsons, Kevin (Julie) Schoonover of Simi Valley, Ca., Tim (Melissa) Koch of Jacksonville, one granddaughter Debbie (Ralph) Booker of Virden, four step grandchildren, Bob Caulkins of Green Valley, Bill Caulkins, Gwen (Reg) Gaskill, and Julie Caulkins all of Manito, six great grandchildren, and three great great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her husband Herbert, one son Robert W. Koch, and her parents.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday June 10, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. at Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg, with Rev. Dan Roseberry will be officiating, visitation will be held form 10:00 a.m. until the time of service.

Burial will be in Oakford Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Menard Convalescent Center in Petersburg.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dessie M. Koch*

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