



## Kathryn Ann "Katie" Kinstle

October 4, 1931 - March 7, 2009

Kathryn Ann "Katie" Kinstle, 77, of Wapakoneta, died 6:20 p.m., Sat. Mar. 7, 2009, at The Gardens of Wapakoneta. She was born Oct. 4, 1931, in Wapakoneta, the daughter of Winfield & Viota (George) Metzger, who preceded her in death. On June 6, 1951, she married Alfred J. "Al" Kinstle, and he died May 22, 2002. Survivors include, 2 sisters, Carolyn (William) Shaner, Sr., Wapakoneta, OH, Barbara (Lee) Winemiller, Wapakoneta, and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a sister Mary Jane Jones. Mrs. Kinstle retired from Goodyear Tire & Rubber in 1987, where she worked for 36 years as the Secretary to the Engineering Manager. She later worked at Superior Tube in Wapakoneta. She was a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Botkins. She was a former member of the Shelby Oaks Golf Club, Sidney, and enjoyed bowling for several years. She was a 1950 graduate of St. Joseph High School. She enjoyed reading, traveling, playing cards, and boating. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Thur. Mar. 12, 2009, at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Botkins, Fr. Patrick Sloneker officiating. Burial is to follow in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Botkins. The family will receive friends from 2-4 & 6-8 p.m., Wed. at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta. Memorials may be directed to the St. Jude's Research Hospital or St. Rita's Hospice. Condolences may be expressed at [www.bayliffandeleyfh.com](http://www.bayliffandeleyfh.com).