



Rita L. Dailey

May 2, 1933 - May 2, 2014

Rita L. Dailey, 81, of Wapakoneta, died 8:30 a.m., on her birthday, Fri. May 2, 2014, at Auglaize Acres. She was born May 2, 1933, in Wapakoneta, the daughter of Anthony T. & Marie (Archer) Drexler, who preceded her in death. On April 18, 1951, she married Perry Eugene "Gene" Dailey, and he died July 14, 2010. Survivors include 11 children, Perry A. (Sue) Dailey, Orland Park, IL, James Dailey, Wapakoneta, Rick (Roxanne) Dailey, Donald (Sue) Dailey, both of Cridersville, Jerry (Helen) Dailey, Willard, OH, Larry (Lisa) Dailey, St. Henry, OH, Rose Martin, Lima, Linda (Richard) Morey, Dayton, OH, Connie (Joey) Hillman, Kenton, OH, Carol Dailey, Cridersville, Tina (Melvin) Applin, Wapakoneta; 29 grandchildren, & 33 great grandchildren; a brother, Alfred (Mae) Drexler, Wapakoneta. She was preceded in death by an infant daughter, Mary Dailey, 3 grandchildren, Joseph, Garrett, & Aubrey, a sister, Helen Steinke, brothers, Walter, Harold, Andy & Clyde. A homemaker, Rita worked 15 years as manager of the Wapa Theater. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta, and attended St. Joseph High School. She enjoyed spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren & great grandchildren. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Tues. May 6, 2014, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wapakoneta, Rev. Daniel Hunt officiating. Burial is to follow in the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery, Wapakoneta. The family will receive friends 4-8 p.m., Mon. at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta. Memorial contributions may be directed to the Auglaize Acres Memory Unit Entertainment Fund.

Tribute Wall

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“ To the Dailey family, So sorry to hear about your Mom. I will keep you all in my prayers. Always tough to lose a parent. Marty Kemper

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“ Linda, Tina, Rose, Carol and the rest of the family, Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you all at this great time of loss. I am sorry that I am so far away and will not be there for you all. Love Rae and family

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