



Betty Marie Mader

April 4, 1926 - December 28, 2010

LEXINGTON: Betty Mader, 84, died December 28, in her home. She was born in Detroit on April 4, 1926, to the late William and Elsie Knies. She married Fred Mader on May 12, 1945, in Detroit.

Betty spent several years as an Air Force wife, living in many locations before she and Fred settled in Lexington in 1963. She worked at the "Jeffersonian" and was owner of the Thrift Cottage, Lexington Hgts., for 11 years. Betty believed in helping others and supporting the community. She was a Girl Scout leader, Lexington Lioness, and especially enjoyed the many years she volunteered at Meyer School in the Kindergarten classroom, and as the Campbell Soup label lady.

She is survived by her daughter and son-in law, Lynn and Mel Roe; granddaughter and husband, Lori and Charlie Waters; great-grandsons, Josh and Kyle Waters; all of Lexington; and great-granddaughter, Hudson Roe, Texas; her brother and sister-in law, Bill and Joan Knies, Deckerville; nephews, Kirk Knies, Clinton Twp., Scott Knies, CA; Robert Mader, TN; niece, Charlene Mader Harris, FL.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Fred on July 31, 1993; and grandson, Jeff Roe.

Family and friends may visit and share memories from 2 to 7 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 2 and 10 – 11 a.m. Monday, Jan. 3. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, Jan. 3, at Pomeroy Funeral Home, Lexington. The Rev. Barry Sheldon will officiate.

Memorials are suggested to the Croswell-Lexington High School Band or the Sanilac County Humane Society.