



Esther Erna Schwalm

November 11, 1917 - December 4, 2006

Esther Erna Schwalm

89, of Yale, died Monday December 4, 2006 at MediLodge of Yale.

She was born November 11, 1917 in Sebewaing, MI, the daughter of the late Robert and Bertha Ristov Nitz.

Her marriage to Maurice "Pete" Schwalm was June 16, 1940 in Bach, MI.

Pete passed away July 21, 1989.

Esther was co-owner and operator of the Gamble Store in Yale from 1945 until her retirement in 1971. She was a member of Emmanuel Redeemer Evangelical Lutheran Church, Yale, and loved rose gardening.

Surviving are 2 daughters and sons-in-law Linda and Robert "Bud" Underhill of Lansing and Judy and Doug Jurn of Avoca; son and daughter-in-law Dale and Jane of Lexington; 5 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by 14 brothers and sisters.

Her family honors the memory of Esther and invite you to visit and share Thursday 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Kaatz Funeral Directors, Yale. Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m. Friday with 10:00 a.m. visiting. Rev. Joel Neumann, pastor of Emmanuel Redeemer Evangelical Lutheran Church, Yale, will officiate. Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery, Yale.

Memorials are suggested to her church or In House Hospice, 24293

Telegraph Road, Suite 102, Southfield, MI 48034.

For information and Guest Book

kaatzfunerals.com

Previous Events

Service

DEC 8. 11:00 AM (ET)

Emanuel Redeemer Lutheran Church
11089 Yale Road
Yale, MI

Tribute Wall



“ Charlie and I are thinking of you all in your time of sorrow. We will always remember her and the fun we had when we were all together at the family gatherings.

Love always,

Charlie and Hannah##imported-begin##Charlie and Hannah##imported-end##

December 08, 2006 at 07:21 PM



“ Bob and Deana Sonner with to extend our thoughts and prayers to Doug, Judy, Kelly and Nathan and to the rest of Judy's family members.##imported-begin##Deana and Bob Sonner##imported-end##

December 07, 2006 at 12:10 PM



“ We love you. Our thoughts are with you.

Bob, Marion, Dave, Sue, Leanne, Mindi, Gregg, Noelle##imported-begin##Richards Family, Underhills##imported-end##

December 07, 2006 at 12:17 AM



“ Dale, Jane, & family,
Your mother's obituary was such a beautiful testimony to a full life!
Know that we are keeping you in our thoughts & prayers as you
remember her life with those whose lives she was a part of.
With deepest sympathy,
Dave & Marilyn
Bernhard

December 06, 2006 at 08:05 PM



“ Timothy & Pamela Repp & Family wish to extend our heartfelt
sympathy to Dale & Jane Schwalm & Family, and to all of the late
Mrs. Schwalm's family members.

December 06, 2006 at 08:40 AM



“ On behalf of our mother, Mrs. Sylvia Adrian, we wish to extend our
deepest and sincerest sympathies to the family of Esther
Schwalm.

Sylvia Adrian,
Robert Adrian and Karen Adrian,
Karl and Sharron Adrian,
Fred and Karen (LePla) Adrian
Louise and Mike Jaskoski
Robert
Adrian

December 05, 2006 at 11:49 PM