



Melvia Peck

August 18, 2013

KEOSAUQUA: Melvia Lee Peck, 85, of Keosauqua, Iowa and formerly of Milton, Iowa died August 18, 2013 at Good Samaritan Society – Keosauqua. She was born June 29, 1928 in Jefferson County, Iowa to Anthony and Beulah Burry Tonkinson. She married Francis Dale Peck May 31, 1948 in Fairfield, Iowa. He preceded her in death November 15, 1975. Melvia was a homemaker and a cook. She was a member of St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church in Bloomfield. She is survived by two sons, Edward (Helen) Peck of Ottumwa, Iowa, Donald Peck of Eldon, Iowa; four daughters, Debra (Henry) Norton of Oskaloosa, Iowa, Pamela Lawson of Bloomfield, Karen (Jeff) Himes of Douds, Iowa, Bonnie (Shannon) Sample of Milton, Iowa; eleven grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren; and four sisters, Katherine Disney of Sarasota, Florida, Wilma Hootman of Fairfield, Iowa, Vivian Beckett of Muscatine, Iowa, and Lola Krichener of Stockport, Iowa. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; brother, Bob Tonkinson; and two sisters, Ruth Countryman and Mary Garrison. Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, August 22, 2013 at the Wagler Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Pastor DeWayne Lawson officiating. Burial will be at the Sunnyside Cemetery in Milton, Iowa. Visitation will begin after 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday with the family present to greet friends from 5-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. A memorial has been established to Ottumwa Good Samaritan Society Hospice.

Tribute Wall



“ *Melvia Peck*

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